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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Showers; light southwest wind.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 61 deg.; minimum, 46 deg. Wind 5 a.m., northeast, velocity, 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity, 6 miles. At midnight the temperature was 52 deg.; clear.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 50 deg.; clear.

FORECAST—For San Francisco and vicinity: Showers; fresh southly wind.

[The Complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 16, part II.]

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena mansion of Busch brilliantly lighted and flower-bedecked but wedding is said not to have taken place. Burning question of public dances may overthrow graft as issue in coming city election campaign at Long Beach. Japan eager for oranges at Whittier. Faint breathing movements leave Riverside veteran, pillar of the temple, in critical condition.... Log raft chains is feared at San Diego. Musicians' bluff fails to work at patriotic celebration at Long Beach. Redlands man seriously injured at San Bernardino.... Drunken young men badly drive automobile over curbs and walks in Pasadena and make night hideous with rancous toot of horn following which they are arrested.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Young French girl mentally affected, disappears from home while on way to San Francisco. Two mail and freight trains collide head-on in Nevada owing to forgetfulness of engineer of latter; six persons injured. Carload of typewriters smashed.... British Columbia redskins go to arms because of looting of Indian graves by curio hunters.... Rockefeller gets options on sites for big smelter.... Murderer of John Stinson will be caught.... Officer of steamer Umatilla dependent at loss of naturalization papers, shoots woman who refused to get divorce from husband at his request. Government gives up trying to convict Cress Unger.... Division of property motive in Gunther's murder-madness.

GENERAL EASTERN. Johann Hoch tried in Chicago after fighting legal battle every inch of way to scaffold. Ex-Gov. Morton praises work of Armstrong Insurance Committee.... Garfield refuses to giving information about Harriman to Department of Justice. Col. Henderson worse again.... Detective's secure code and key of Western Federation Miners, whereby directions to assassinations were issued.... Soft coal interests about to form gigantic combination to fight miners' union. Bandits attack Chihuahua bullion train and three of escort are killed in defending it.... Wisconsin girl laughing to death.... Strange letters lead to belief that man thought to have committed suicide at Cincinnati is in Los Angeles.

WASHINGTON. Committee, without amendment, reports Hepburn bill to Senate.... Senator Knox breaks with the President because Moody reviewed rate bill.... Divorce Congress adjourns after adopting stringent resolutions.... Mexican War veterans want pensions.... Comrades brought back from six republics.... Senate committee concludes hearing on Philippine tariff bill. Taft not alarmed over conditions in China.... House adopts resolution for coal and oil inquiry.

FOREIGN. British plan attack on Lhassa dose.... Hopes of reaching accord at Algeciras again raised.... Catholic settlements in Honan province of China forcibly houses against Boxers.

GETTING A MOVE ON.

Life Insurance Men Fully Occupied.

Report of Armstrong Committee Falls Like Wet Blanket on Them.

Meetings of High Officials and Executive Committees Immediately Called.

Strong Opposition Will be Put Up at Albany Against Reforms.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Phenomenal activity, combined with secrecy and reticence, marked the attitude of high officers of the big life insurance companies today.

Despite the general predictions that the Armstrong committees' report would be radical, the full force of its revolutionary provisions fell upon the officers like a wet blanket. Meetings of the executive committees of the "Big Three" were held during the day, but even earlier than this the executive officers of the companies had been in conference with counsel going over the provisions of the report.

THE "BIG UNS."

Paul Morton, president of the Equitable, came to his office early in company with Paul D. Cravath, personal counsel to Thomas F. Ryan, owner of the majority of the Equitable stock.

Charles A. Peabody, president of the Mutual, went into secret session with other officers of his company, immediately on reporting at his office, and later was in attendance at two committee meetings.

The Executive Committee of the New York Life was in session before noon with Alexander E. Orr, president of the company in the chair. Immediately after the Executive Committee adjourned, a special call was sent out for a meet of the Board of Trustees, and the session lasted until 2:30 o'clock. Inquiry among the officers of other companies confirmed a report that the great companies had decided to unite to fight some of the reforms suggested by the Armstrong Committee. All the pressure at their command will be brought to bear upon the executive session to keep these recommendations off the statute book.

NEW YORK LIFE'S FIGHT.

It is known that the New York Life will fight hard to prevent the passage of any law that will restrict the new business of the company to $150,000,000 a year. This is the feature of the report that has caused the difference of opinion between the three big companies. Officers of the Equitable and the Mutual have declared that such restrictions would be a good thing.

FISH SWIMS OUT.

Stuyvesant Fish severed the last tie binding him to the management of the Mutual Life Insurance Company today when he sent to Charles A. Peabody a formal letter, of a few lines only, tendering his resignation as a member of the Mutual's Board of Trustees. No explanation was made in this note of his reasons for retiring from the board.

The Herald is authorized to deny authoritatively the published reports to the effect that Fish requested Peabody to call a special meeting of the Mutual board, and that Peabody refused to do so and also to deny the statement that Peabody and John W. Auchincloss, as members of the board of the Illinois Central Railroad have encouraged a movement to start an investigation of Fish's management as president of that company.

DETERMINED TO FIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALBANY, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In spite of the fact that the great insurance companies have passed into the control of new managers, placed in office in response to the irresistible protest against the abuses revealed by the Armstrong committee, there is every indication that a determined fight will be made against the passage of the more drastic of the reforms urged by the investigators.

As most of the agents upon whom the companies have been in the habit of depending for legislative manipulation have gone into retirement, new men will have to be found to direct the opposition, and there is reason to believe they will be obtained among the members of the Legislature itself.

EVERY ONE HIS OWN COLONEL.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Kentucky "isn't in it" any longer. By the action of a society known as the "Grand Fraternity" here last night in establishing a new degree, 20,000 "colonels" will be turned loose on the country in the course of a year or so, as that is the title which the degree confers, and the society has that many members, all of whom are eligible to the honor.

COL. HENDERSON WORSE.

Attending Physician Says Ex-Speaker's Death May Be Expected Almost Any Time.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DUBUQUE (Iowa) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. D. B. Henderson sank rapidly, today, and his attending physician gave a bulletin that the patient's death is momentarily expected. He said tonight:

"Col. Henderson's death is momentarily expected. He is failing, and his death may occur any time. His eyesight and reason have improved somewhat, and he recognizes relatives who are at his bedside. He suffers considerable at times."

BANDITS ATTACK BULLION TRAIN.

ADDITIONAL PARTICULARS OF CHIHUAHUA FIGHT.

Three of Escort Killed While Fighting to Defend It—Fatally-Wounded Conductor Gallops Off With the Treasure—Senora Beatriz de Quintana and Daughter Escape.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] How the Dolores bullion train was held up in a lonely Mexican mountain pass, three of its escort killed while fighting to defend the train while the other three took to their heels; how its conductor, although fatally wounded, took the treasure in safety to the nearest town and how a wealthy Mexican widow, who was journeying to her ranch was obliged to hide over night in a cave to avoid the American bandits, was dramatically told in an account reaching here today from Chihuahua.

William F. Smith, the conductor, is on his death bed at Cocomoachic, where he galloped with the bullion while fighting off the robbers. Señora Beatriz De Quintana, who was following the train, accompanied only by her daughter and Mozo, was unharmed. A peculiar feature of the affair is the fact that Gov. Creel of Chihuahua has announced a reward for the capture of the Americans who were guilty of the attack, but they are believed to have fled to the United States to escape justice and it is for capture in this country that the reward will be paid over.

DURHAM MUST REFUND.

HARRISBURG (Pa.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Atty.-Gen. Carson in a few days will bring suit to compel former Insurance Commissioners Durham, Luper and Lambert and Robert W. Forester and Clayton F. Erb to return to the State all fees accepted and retained by them for actuarial service in the State Insurance Department. Carson has decided there is nothing in the State insurance laws which gives the fees to the Commissioner, or to the actuary.

NO EDITING FOR KNOX.

Senator Breaks With the President Because Moody Reviewed New Rate Bill.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] United States Senator P. C. Knox does not propose to have his "copy" edited by Atty.-Gen. Moody. That is the secret of the Pennsylvania Senator's rupture with the President over the rate bill.

When Knox took to the President the Hepburn bill with his amendment providing for review by the courts, the President referred the amendment to Atty.-Gen. Moody, and the latter suggested certain changes. The President's action and Moody's interference so angered the Pennsylvania Senator that he left the White House "sizzling hot," declaring that, rather than allow his bill to be edited by the Attorney-General he would father none at all. On calmer reflection, however, Senator Knox, being anxious to make public his views on the great question, decided to incorporate them all in a bill of his own, although he knew perfectly well that, in its entirety, the measure would not have the slightest chance of going through.

It was this bill which Knox introduced yesterday, and it is declared today that its introduction was as much of a surprise to the President as it was to the Senate. Knox, in fact, emphatically said to a correspondent today concerning this bill: "It represents absolutely the views of no one except myself. Had the President and Atty.-Gen. Moody agreed to my amendment, I would not have introduced it."

SHOWING MINERS.

Dolan Explains His Attitude.

Stumping Subdistricts, Defending His Action at Indianapolis.

Says Division Presages Certain Defeat in Event of Coal Strike.

A Gigantic Combination of Bituminous Interests is to Be Effected.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Patrick Dolan today began to stump the subdistricts of the Pittsburgh coal field, in order to lay before the members themselves a defense of his action at the Indianapolis convention and against the criticisms that have been made upon his administration by President John Mitchell.

Dolan, while vigorously protesting that he, as much as any union man, desires to see the miners get a raise in wages, will preach to the miners the doctrine of letting well enough alone for the present and will endeavor to show them that in their present divided condition a strike would mean certain defeat.

In one subdistrict today, Dolan, with mock seriousness, issued an order declaring the office of president of the United Mine Workers vacant and appointing James Clark, a member of the National Executive Board, successor to Mitchell. When asked by an astonished member of his audience what authority he had to issue such an order Dolan replied that he had as much right to condemn and depose Mitchell for riding rough-shod over the Ryan resolution, adopted by the national convention, as Mitchell had to condemn and depose him for overriding the instructions of the district convention. Dolan's clever illustration made a tremendous hit with his audience.

Francis L. Robbins returned today from the conference in New York, declaring that he was more than ever convinced nothing could avert a strike.

SOFT COAL MERGER.

If the plans of Robbins and other officials of the Pittsburgh Coal Company are successful, the United Mine Workers will find themselves confronted in their coming struggle with the operators and in future fights by a gigantic combination of the soft coal interests of the country, with Robbins as the master mind directing its opposition.

It is for this purpose, it was stated here today, that Robbins a few days ago resigned the presidency of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and is now seeking to effect a $50,000,000 merger to take over such big bituminous interests as the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, the Johnstown Mining Company, which controls a vast acreage of bituminous coal lands in the Hocking Valley; and a number of independent interests in West Virginia and Kentucky.

The officers of the Pittsburgh Coal Company are now in the East in conference with officers of the other interests over the plans for the merger, which, in every likelihood, it was learned here this afternoon, will be successfully accomplished.

WHY ROBBINS WAS CHOSEN.

When Robbins was chosen spokesman for more than sixty large operators on the floor of the joint convention at Indianapolis it was the distinct understanding that he, of all the operators in the bituminous field, was best qualified to represent the attitude of the coal men and to lead them in their fight against the demands of the miners.

It was clearly evident to Robbins, however, as it was to his associates, that with such a diversity of interests among the bituminous companies, including the independent concerns in the Ohio and the Kentucky fields, it was almost impossible to present a solid front to the united ranks of the mine workers.

Especially was it felt that an organization needed to be effected which would permit one individual to represent its interests and which would act with unanimity under his direction. And Robbins was the man who was universally conceded most capable equipped to head such an organization. The prospect of an almost immediate strike has brought matters to a head.

SECURES COPY OF CODE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pinkertons who have been at work on the cases against the members of the Western Federation of Miners claim to have secured a copy of the secret code used by members of the alleged "inner circle" of the Federation in communicating to those selected to commit murders explicit directions. They claim to have many communications addressed to Harry Orchard, persons at Wallace, Silver City, Burke and Harrison, Idaho, and to others in Colorado camps, all of which have been translated by means of a code key. The letters relate to crimes committed during a period of six years.

Buckeley Wells, Adjutant-General of Colorado, returned from Idaho this morning. He talked freely of the trip to Boise with Charles H. Moyer, W. D. Haywood and G. A. Pettibone of the Western Federation of Miners. Gen. Wells stated that Orchard had made a complete confession, which is in typewritten form and contains 104 pages, or about 25,000 words. Gen. Wells read much of the confession. He said that no move was made toward the men now in custody until various statements in the confession had been investigated and proven true, and he had convinced the authorities that Orchard's professed desire to tell all he knew was genuine. Gen. Wells stated that the infernal contrivance dug up at Justice Goddard's residence had been taken to Idaho and would be shown to members of the grand jury Monday. The charge is of the 40 per cent. gelatine variety.

HABEAS CORPUS ISSUED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOISE, Feb. 23.—The Supreme Court late this afternoon issued a writ of habeas corpus in the cases of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. The writ is made returnable March 1, at which time return will be made and a time set for a hearing.

JARS HIS MEMORY.

Fast Mail and Freight Trains Collide Because Engineer of Latter Forgot His Orders—Heroic Trainman Prevents Loss of Life.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WELLS (Nev.) Feb. 23.—Southern Pacific fast mail No. 10 and westbound fast freight No. 55 collided this afternoon on a curve one mile west of Alazon, six miles from here. The collision occurred during a blinding snowstorm and was caused by Engineer Quillinan of the freight running by Alazon, though only a few moments before he had been warned at Wells to take the siding there and clear the fast mail. Quillinan has no excuse to offer, saying he forgot all about the fast mail.

The trains met on the main line and the force of the impact was terrific. Both engines are welded together and all but demolished, portions of them being scattered around in the sagebrush for yards. The boiler heads are driven into each other a distance of more than eighteen inches and so firmly united they cannot be forced apart. Only one car on the fast mail was derailed, being shattered into bits. Fortunately, there was no one in this car.

Sixteen cars of freight, including one car of typewriters bound for San Francisco, are a total loss and lying in indescribable mass on both sides of the track. To Engineer Frank Young of the fast mail, the clerks and train crew of that train owe their lives. This train carries no passengers and consists of the engine and four cars. Young, who has been with the company since 1873, saw the oncoming freight and applied the air brakes, at the same time reversing his engine. Heroically, he stayed at his post until within a few yards of the point of collision when he jumped to save his own life. His instantaneous action brought his train down from a speed of fifty to about twenty miles an hour, when the collision occurred. Had he not stayed at his post of duty, the mail clerks in their flimsy cages would have been ground to atoms. When he could do no more, Young jumped, escaping all injury with the exception of a sprained ankle. His fireman had jumped and escaped unhurt. The engine men on the freight also jumped and escaped with few bruises.

A thousand feet of rails is torn up and the track will be blocked for eighteen or more hours. Six mail clerks and Brakeman Reeves are more or less injured, none of them thought to be dangerous. Those hurt are:

John W. Naylor, mail clerk, badly cut about head and neck.

Frank M. Downing, mail clerk, severely bruised and slight spinal injury.

Clerks Gurris, Farmer, Alexander and Oliver received bruises, sprains and cuts.

Brakeman J. J. Reeves, severe scalp wound and contusions about neck.

All the injured men were brought here and later taken to the Ogden Hospital on a special train. One young man stealing a ride was badly injured by jumping. He is a Mexican and refuses to give his name.

CONTROL BALAKLALA PROPERTY.

Smelting Trust and Rogers Figure in Copper Transaction of Several Millions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles D. Barney & Co., acting for a syndicate, have purchased control of the Balaklala copper property in California and other properties in that vicinity. It is stated that the syndicate is composed of the American Smelting and Refining Company interests, Adolph Lewisohn and H. H. Rogers. Altogether, about $10,000,000 is involved. Contracts for smelting the copper ore will be made with the "smelting trust."

It is understood that the syndicate participations of the leading copper and mining companies were the result of negotiations of young Daniel Guggenheim, son of the president of the "smelter trust." The participations of the leading interests is considered an evidence of the friendly trade relationship of the principal mining and smelting interests in this country.

The Balaklala Consolidated Copper Company at present has a capital stock of $10,000,000.

LOOMIS LOST BUT NOTES COME.

WIFE STARTS FOR LOS ANGELES EXPECTING TO FIND HIM.

New York Civil Engineer Disappears and Message on Suspension Bridge Says He Will Commit Suicide—Two Strange Letters from California.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARKERSBURG (W. Va.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. E. E. Loomis of New York City is the central figure in a mysterious affair, the future development of which will probably be revealed in California. Three weeks ago, a man's hat and a note were found on the suspension bridge at Cincinnati. The note stated that the writer, E. E. Loomis, a civil engineer of New York City, intended to commit suicide by leaping into the river. No body was afterward found in the river that could be identified as that of Loomis, nor could any trace of the man be found, if he were living.

The following day, Mrs. Loomis, in Parkersburg, received a letter from her husband. In it he did not even hint at suicide, and the hour given in the postmark was considerably later than the time when the note was found. For this reason, Mrs. Loomis did not believe her husband had committed suicide. Three days ago Mrs. Loomis received an unsigned letter in strange chirography, dated at Los Angeles, urging her to come at once to California, and enclosing money for the journey. The next day, Mrs. Loomis received another unsigned letter from the same city, but in different handwriting, warning her to keep away from California.

Unheeding the later message, Mrs. Loomis left for California last night, confident of finding her husband alive and well.

MONT PELEE AGAIN ACTIVE.

INHABITANTS OF MARTINIQUE IN TERROR ONCE MORE.

Five Persons in Hospital at Fort de France Who Were Struck by Rocks—Most of Residents Flee from Town—Many Houses Demolished by the Quakes.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BARBADOES (B. W. I.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mont Pelee, in Martinique, is again active, and the inhabitants of the island are in terror of a recurrence of the great eruptions of four years ago.

Five persons are in the hospital in Fort de France, who were struck by falling rocks thrown up by the volcano. Most of the residents of the town have fled to shelter behind the mountains to the southward. Many houses have been demolished by earthquake shocks, and the walls of many others are tottering.

A trading schooner, which arrived here today, reports that the volcano is in violent activity. By day, a column of heavy black smoke several miles high, rising from the crater, was visible to those aboard the schooner thirty miles away, and at night the flames could be plainly seen at a greater distance, as they burst from the volcano's mouth, and spread in a great sheet of fire from the peak of the pillar of flame-shot smoke.

Before the crest of the volcano itself fell below the horizon, the sailors aboard the vessel saw molten lava pouring over the lips of the crater in overwhelming waves, rolling down over the plantations on the eastern slope of the mountain and presumably flowing over the twice-buried city of St. Pierre.

HOST OF FARMERS TO STRIKE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 23.—A strike of the 200,000 farmers composing the American Society of Equity, an organization with headquarters in Indianapolis, has been called for March 1. Every one who responds to this call will agree to withhold from marketing any agricultural products excepting at prices that are up to the level that has been decreed as equitable by the officials of the organization. This organization claims that the producer ought to get at least $1 a bushel for wheat, no matter what may be the size of the crop. The call for the strike sets forth a minimum selling price on all farm products prices which the agricultural strikers claim they are entitled to and can get if they stand together.

FINDS NO ESCAPE.

Bluebeard Hoch is Legally Hanged.

Attorneys Make Mad Dash for Clemency, but Tears Avail Nothing.

Wife-Murderer Prays for Forgiveness for All and Reasserts Innocence.

Attempts to Secure a Stay on Worthless Bond—His Neck Broken.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—John Hoch, convicted murderer, confessed bigamist, and who, if but a fraction of the stories of crimes that are told of him are true, was one of the greatest criminals this country has ever known, was hanged in the County Jail, today, for poisoning his wife, Marie Weicker-Hoch.

He faced death as he has always said that he would face it when the final moment came—calmly, and without fear. He stood on the scaffold beneath the dangling noose in the attitude and with the placidity of a soldier who realizes to the full that death in his portion, but is still unafraid. He died with a prayer on his lips for the officers of the law who took his life, and his last utterance was an assertion that he was innocent of the crime for which he paid the extreme penalty of the law.

Rev. J. R. Birkelund, one of Hoch's spiritual advisers, had a talk with the prisoner shortly before he was led to the scaffold and said later that Hoch had confessed.

"Did he confess to the murder?" he was asked.

The clergyman hesitated, and then answered: "Well, he said that he had been a bigamist and a very wicked man."

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Johann Hoch was hanged in the County Jail, today, for the murder of Marie Walcker-Hoch. The drop fell at 1:34 o'clock p.m.

After the condemned man had fought a legal battle every inch of the way to the gallows, he died protesting his innocence, and with this prayer on his lips: "O Lord, Our Father, I forgive them all, I must die, an innocent man, so help me God. Good-by." He then bowed, and closed his eyes.

TWENTY-SIX MINUTES LEFT.

The end came after two sensational and dramatic attempts had been made to prevent the carrying out of the sentence of Judge Kersten and the decree of the Illinois Supreme Court, and only lacked twenty-six minutes of the limit of time in which he could be executed. Had he not gone to the gallows before 2 o'clock, a new sentence would have been necessary.

THE DEATH MARCH.

It was 1:31 o'clock when the death march began, and a minute later Chief Deputy Sheriff Peters stepped upon the gallows, followed by the condemned wife murderer and bigamist. Jailer John L. Whitman led him by the arm. Hoch was deathly pale, his jaws set, his lips tightly compressed. He stood for a moment looking down upon the faces of those in the gallery of the old jail building where the gallows had been waiting for him since 10:30 a.m., the time at which the execution was to have taken place three hours before. It was only a minute's hesitation, and during that moment a prayer murmured by the Rev. J. R. Birkelund was the only sound in the dismal chamber. Then in a clear, firm voice, Hoch spoke. The words sent a thrill through the little audience.

NOOSE IS FIXED.

Hoch stood still. Jailer Whitman fixed the noose about his neck and tied his hands. At the signal, which came from within a small wooden cell at the back of the scaffold, the trap swung, dropping him into space. Up to the moment that the shroud was placed upon him and the hood drawn over his face, Hoch's lips could be seen moving, as though in prayer, while the voice of his spiritual adviser continued to be heard in low tones.

THE NECK BROKEN.

Hoch died of a broken neck. It was fifteen minutes before the medical jury pronounced him dead. The jury's verdict was that he had died of a frac-

ture of the transverse process of the second vertebrae.

BELIEVED HOCH INNOCENT.

Rev. Mr. Birkelund said, after it was all over: "Johann Hoch was innocent of the crime for which he suffered today. He made no confession. I am positive he is innocent, or he would have told me. He is dead, and may he rest in peace."

LAST "WIFE" GETS BODY.

The body of the dead man was turned over to his last wife, Mrs. Emily Fischer-Hoch, and was buried late this afternoon in an unmarked grave in Waldheim cemetery. The hasty burial was in accordance with the wishes of the condemned man, who desired that his body escape criminologists who might wish it for post-mortem examination. He had also wished to have his body cremated, but had yielded to arguments of the clergymen that this did not constitute Christian burial.

HIS FIGHT FOR LIFE.

Thrice snatched from the shadow of the gallows, once saved from the death chamber at the very hour of execution, Hoch almost dodged the noose a fourth time. The fight of his friends and lawyers which his merry air, cheerful speech, smiling assertion of his innocence and indomitable will has inspired, halted the death march today and brought Jailer Whitman and Chief Deputy Sheriff Peters face to face with such a legal tangle that they turned away from the death chamber and went to States Attorney Healy for advice before they were sure Hoch had already lost all chance of evading his sentence.

"READY TO HANG."

Hoch had heard from Jailer Whitman—whose eyes were wet with tears—that Judge Landis in the Federal court had refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus. The death warrant had been read.

"All right, go on; I am ready to hang," the stout little prisoner had said, his voice sad, but his face smiling, as though he were but bidding good-by for a short journey.

The door of the death chamber had been opened, and with a minister on each side of him, Hoch was preparing to take up the road to the gibbet, when there was a commotion on the floor below.

"Send Whitman here; I've got a 'stay,'" was shouted by Frank D. Comerford, one of Hoch's lawyers, who waved in his hands an appeal bond. A guard came running up the steps and whispered to Whitman and Peters. They left hurriedly, ordering Hoch to be taken back to the death chamber.

HOCH AGAIN HUNGRY.

"Well, boys, I'm hungry," said Hoch to his death watch. "Let's have dinner." Then he ate calmly, laughing with his companions, the most unconcerned man of the hundreds in the big jail. Hoch had been kept in ignorance of the steps in this fight, although he was confident his friends were active. During the morning he had talked with his religious advisers and the death watch, and he professed to be all ready to die, yet confident that he would not be hanged.

"If you give me until 1:30 p.m. I'll go peacefully, but if you try to hang me before that I'll fight you," he had told a deputy.

BOND PRONOUNCED WORTHLESS.

States Attorney Healy was called in and pronounced the bond produced by Comerford not worth the paper it was written on because it had not been tendered to or accepted by any court, and acting on his advice, Deputy Sheriff Peters ordered the execution to proceed. Comerford then dashed from the jail, leaped into a cab, and hurried downtown in one last desperate effort to save Hoch.

DASH TO NO PURPOSE.

Comerford and others who had interested themselves in Hoch's behalf were tearfully pleading with Judges Kohlsaat and Landis, and madly rushing from hotel to restaurant and club in search of Judge Grosscup at luncheon, to plead with him to interfere, when the drop fell, hurling Hoch into eternity. Hoarse cries of newsboys shouting extras containing the announcement of Hoch's death brought the first intimation to them that the end had come.

THREATEN MURDER CHARGES.

The attorneys declared that they will seek the appeal, despite the execution of their client, and that it will be perfected and carried to the United States Supreme Court and declared that if the decision of Judge Landis in refusing to grant the writ of habeas corpus is reversed by the United States Supreme Court they will seek to indict for murder the Sheriff, States Attorney and all those who took part in the hanging in an official capacity.

HOCH'S MANY "WIVES."

Little is known of Johann Hoch's earlier life, beyond the fact that he was born at Herweiler, near Bingen, Germany, and that his name was John Schmidt. Hoch was popularly believed to have had more than thirty wives, but a list compiled in the States Attorney's office reduce the number to twelve, four of whom died shortly after the marriage. The record is as follows:

January 1, 1887. Married Christine Ranb at Horweiler, near Bingen, Germany, under the name of John Schmidt; deserted wife and three children, and fled to the United States.

December 16, 1895. Married Julia Steinbrecher, No. 333 Belmont avenue, who died within a short time, leaving an estate valued at $12,000, mortgaged for $6000; sold the equity for $2000. The woman before her death told her neighbors she had been poisoned.

January 16, 1896. A month after the death of Mrs. Steinbrecher, Hoch married Minnie Warnecke of Chicago, whom he deserted when he found he could not get her money.

Later he married Martha Hertsfield of Milwaukee, whom he deserted three months after marriage. He secured $1800 from her and $800 from her sister, Mrs. Burneister.

WHERE "HOCH" CAME FROM.

At Wheeling, W. Va., he married Mrs. Mary Hoch, from whom, it is alleged, he got the name he passed under. After she died, within the year, he secured the $400 life insurance she carried in his name.

January 8, 1897—Married Mrs. Mary

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LABOR.

LEARN CODE, GET EVIDENCE.

Detectives Find Out Western Federation Secrets.

Orchard's Confession Ready for the Grand Jury.

Moyer's Attorneys Petition for Habeas Corpus.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOISE (Idaho) Feb. 23.—It is stated that important evidence has been secured by detectives who have learned the cipher code used by the Western Federation of Miners on telegrams and letters.

DENVER, Feb. 23.—Detective James McParland has left for Idaho with all the documentary evidence in the Steunenberg murder case, including Harry Orchard's confession, in his possession. He will testify before the grand jury which is to begin its investigation next Monday. He will be the principal witness. Before leaving, he asserted that no one could wish the accused Federation officials a fair trial more than himself but declared he is amply able to prove his charges.

Orchard's confession, a copy of which is on file in this city, embraces 104 pages, closely typewritten, and contains fully 25,000 words. It was secured by McParland, with two of his stenographers, when he interviewed Orchard in the penitentiary at Boise. It is signed and sworn to and the main points embraced therein are said to have been duly corroborated. The document will comprise the basis of the trial of Moyer, Haywood, Pettibone and others.

PETITION FOR HABEAS CORPUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOISE, Feb. 23.—Attorney E. F. Richardson, representing the officers of the Western Federation of Miners, who are detained in the State penitentiary here, charged with the murder of former Gov. Frank Steunenberg, today presented to the full bench of the Idaho Supreme Court a petition for a writ of habeas corpus for G. A. Pettibone, former member of the Federation's Executive Board.

Attorneys Richardson, Miller Nugent and Moore went to the penitentiary this afternoon and asked to see these prisoners and Harry Orchard. They saw all the men except Orchard, who sent out word that he did not care to see them. It was stated that Orchard was sick, but no physician has been called for him. Attorney Richardson entered vigorous protest against the prisoners being confined under the rules governing convicts.

Tomorrow, the prisoners will be taken to Caldwell, where a grand jury will meet to investigate the assassination of Steunenberg.

GIVE AID FOR DEFENSE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUTTE, Feb. 23.—Five thousand dollars have been appropriated by the Mill and Smelter Men's Union of this city to aid in the defense of Moyer, Haywood, Pettibone and Orchard, who are suspected of the murder of ex.-Gov. Steunenberg of Idaho.

GREEN RELEASED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CRIPPLE CREEK (Colo.) Feb. 23.—Edward Green, the miner who was arrested Monday, supposedly upon warrants or instructions from Idaho, as a result of the investigation of the Steunenberg assassination, was released today by the District Court. No charge of any kind had been filed against him. Green declares he will suef or damages for false arrest and imprisonment.

The Louisiana Board of Health, at its session yesterday, adopted quarantine regulations and decided that the restrictions against Cuba and Central American ports should become effective March 15.

ENCOURAGES RACE SUICIDE.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A provision in the will of John B. Stetson, the millionaire hatter, which was probated at Norristown today, indirectly encourages race suicide. It provides that if either of his sons should die childless and should leave a widow, then $100,000 shall be set aside from the estate and income paid to the widow. There is no other provision for any widow that may be left by a son, so that if a son should die leaving a widow and children, the children would fall heir to the estate of their father, but the widow would receive nothing.

FESTAL HOURS OF THE PATRIOTIC.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY BANQUET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Joint Celebration by the California Societies of Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution and the Valentine Holt Society of the Children of the Revolution.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A reception and banquet was given in honor of the one hundred and seventy-fourth anniversary of the birthday of George Washington last evening, at the St. Francis Hotel by the California Society Sons of the American Revolution and by the Sequoia, Puerta del Oro, California and Oakland Chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution and by the Valentine Holt Society of the Children of the American Revolution.

The programme was as follows: Prayer by Rev. Charles N. Lathrop, rector of the Church of the Advent, San Francisco; introductory remarks by Edward Mills Adams, president of the California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution; address on Washington by Prof. Henry Morse Stephens of the University of California; music by a vocal quartette and an orchestra.

The occasion was a notable one, for the reason that this is the first time that the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution have united in any such celebration. Among the distinguished guests invited were Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California, and Mrs. Wheeler; David Starr Jordan, president of Stanford University; Gov. George C. Pardee and Mrs. Pardee, William W. Morrow, United States Circuit Court Judge, and Mrs. Morrow, William H. Beatty, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of California, and Mrs. Beatty; Brig.-General Frederick Funston, U. S. A., and Mrs. Funston, Rear-Admiral Bowman H. McCalla and Mrs. McCalla, Rear-Admiral John G. Walker, U. S. N., and Mrs. Walker, Col. Charles Morris, U. S. A., and Mrs. Morris.

The reception committee consisted of Edward Mills Adams, president; J. A. Hosmer, senior vice-president, and Pelham W. Ames, junior vice-president of the California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution; Mrs. John F. Swift, national vice-president; Mrs. Harry N. Gray, State regent; Mrs. W. B. Carr, regent Sequoia Chapter; Mrs. J. W. Hoyt, regent Puenta del Oro Chapter; Mrs. E. H. Davenport, regent California Chapter, and Mrs. Giles H. Gray, regent Oakland Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. A. S. Hubbard, president Valentine Holt Society, Children of the American Revolution. The Committee on Arrangements: Gen. Charles A. Coolidge, U. S. A. (retired,) chairman; Pelham W. Aalmes, John A. Hosmer and Richard M. Sims.

The menu was as follows:

Toke Points.
Strained Okra Princess.
Celery. Salted Almonds. Olives.
Fillet of Striped Bass, Joinville.
Back of Spring Lamb, Bouchere.
French Peas.
Rissolée Potatoes.
"Yorktown Punch."
Roast Squab Chicken, au Jus.
Chiffonnade Salad.
"The Daughters" Ice Cream.
Cakes. Coffee.
"Continental" Sauterne.
"Revolutionary" Claret.

There were about 175 guests present. The California Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, as its legend reads, is "the first body in inception, institution and organization to unite the descendants of Revolutionary patriots and perpetuate the memory of all those who took part in the American Revolution and maintained the independence of the United States of America."

At San Francisco, T. Miamoto, a Japanese cook, Thursday night shot a young countrywoman named Kikan Ito, whom, he claims, was his wife. He shot her three times and she died at an early hour yesterday. He then turned the weapon upon himself and sent two bullets into his neck, inflicting probably fatal wounds. Jealousy was the cause.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Temperatures were again abnormally high in the Middle West, today, and rainfall was general throughout the Mississippi Valley. The precipitation began in a steady business like manner in Chicago, early in the evening. The temperature range was from 41 to 48 degs. Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	56	24
Bismarck	42	20
Cairo	68	40
Cheyenne	36	18
Cincinnati	68	32
Cleveland	62	32
Concordia	54	34
Davenport	48	30
Denver	44	28
Des Moines	44	26
Detroit	60	32
Devil's Lake	36	20
Dodge City	54	34
Dubuque	46	30
Duluth	42	30
Edmonton	18	30
Escanaba	46	30
Grand Rapids	50	32
Green Bay	42	26
Helena	40	20
Huron	54	32
Indianapolis	64	40
Kansas City	52	26
Marquette	42	48
Memphis	72	32
Milwaukee	44	4
Minnedosa	28	26
North Platte	54	36
Omaha	52	34
Rapid City	46	12
St. Louis	56	26
St. Paul	42	14
Sault Ste. Marie	46	30
Springfield, Ill.	46	42
Springfield, Mo.	56	40
Wichita	52	22
Williston	34	

HOODLUMS TERRORISTS.

Chicago's reign of crime, now agitating the public mind more seriously than ever before, may be laid at the door of the graduate hoodlum, in the opinion of Jailer John L. Whitman. Whitman has been studying the type of lawlessness from the standpoint of a criminologist, and judging from personal investigation in the streets and from results as shown by prisoners in the jail, he has come to the conclusion that expert criminals are responsible for very little of the present crime wave. According to Whitman, the burglaries, hold-ups, attacks on women and other crimes are the work of unsuspected toughs of the looser neighborhoods, who for years have been passed by the policemen on the beat, and never thought of as possible desperadoes.

"NO USE ASKING THIEVES."

"There is no use asking thieves how much they stole," declared Thomas W. Lawson, who stopped over in Chicago today to "hand another to the system." "When Ryan, Morgan and all the rest are thrown out, the men who come in will say: 'John D. Rockefeller stole so many millions of dollars,' and he will go to the penitentiary."

MAD LOVER SHOOTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MT. PLEASANT (Ia.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Carl Becker, son of a wealthy farmer, tonight shot and instantly killed Miss Florence Allen, the 20-year-old daughter of County Physician L. B. Allen, and seriously wounded the girl's mother. A few minutes later, Becker blew out his own brains. Becker was infatuated with Miss Allen, who had refused him.

"NEWSPAPER PRINT TRUST."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Suits for $600,000 were filed here today against ready-made newspaper print houses in Omaha, Chicago and Kansas City, under the Sherman Anti-Trust Law. The plaintiffs claim the defendants conspired as a trust and forced them out of the ready-print business.

SHOT ACTRESS IN LEG.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LINTON (Ind.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] While the Chicago stock company was playing an engagement at a local theater last night, Miss Pearl Elvyn, leading lady, made disparaging remarks about Linton and its people, whereupon an unidentified man in the audience drew a revolver and fired at the actress, wounding her in the fleshy part of the leg. In the ensuing panic, the miscreant escaped.

CAN'T STOP LAUGHING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA CROSSE (Wis.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Florence Reid is laughing, and cannot stop. The doctors call it insanity, as the result of overstudy.

BRITISH PLAN ATTACK ON TONNAGE DUES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Oswald Sanderson, president-elect of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom, passed a good many years of his life in New York, where he represented the Furness Leyland line of steamships. His brother, Harold Sanderson, is one of the managers of the White Star line.

As president of the "Parliament of Shipping," Oswald Sanderson, who is now managing director of Thomas Wilson Sons & Company, one of the largest private ship-owners in the world, in his inauguration address yesterday, stated that British shipping has paid during one year no less a sum than £60,000 ($300,000) to the United States as tonnage dues. The only official excuse for this tax was that American shipping was made to pay light dues when visiting British ports.

LOOKING TO THE DUTCH.

The abolition of light dues would compel the United States to place British shipping on a "most-favored nation" basis, as was the case with Holland. That country by granting to such American ships as traded to it freedom from a tax of this nature, was in turn exempted from tonnage dues upon all Dutch ships which entered any port of the United States.

The recent sharp advance in the cost of shipbuilding materials undoubtedly would have a restraining effect on speculative construction, and would thus enable a steady growth of the trade of the world. To absorb a large amount of tonnage built—and the building output of gross tonnage for the United Kingdom during the past year was unprecedented—it would need all the energy and resourcefulness of the British ship-owners to find fair employment, for new tonnage without damaging freight markets, which were sensitive enough at present.

AMICABLE SPIRIT SHOWN.

Discussion at Algeciras Such That Hopes of Reaching Accord are Again Raised.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Ambassador White today cabled the State Department from Algeciras that the conference had adjourned until Saturday next, after discussing at some length the question of an international bank. A very strong spirit of conciliation appeared to prevail. The understanding here is that there is no immediate prospect of a hostile issue between France and Germany on this subject.

MORE HOPEFUL FEELING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALGECIRAS (Spain) Feb. 23.—The first feeling of depression over Germany's rejection of the French proposals is gradually wearing off and a slightly more hopeful feeling is observable among the delegates. This is due largely to the amicable spirit shown between the French and the German delegates during the formal debates on the Moroccan bank question.

The deadlock on the question of policing Morocco is unchanged, but the improved feeling also extends to that question.

ASKS BIGGEST BATTLESHIPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 23.—Premier Rouvier laid the Moroccan situation before the Cabinet today, but no announcement was made concerning a modification of the present status.

Minister of Marine Thompson announced his intention to ask Parliament to build three battleships of 18,000 tons, which will be the largest French warships yet constructed.

A sensational debate was expected in the Chamber of Deputies today, as several orators intended to question the government upon the Moroccan situation. Premier Rouvier appealed to the chamber not to force a debate now, as it might embarrass the interests of the country. The orators, with the exception of Jaures, the Socialist leader, yielded to the request.

Remarkable Progress.

The success that has been attained in bringing into general demand and making popular all over the United States Moet & Chandon "White Seal" champagne, vintage of 1900, is shown by the customhouse statistics of importations during the year 1905. No less than 99,387 cases of Moet & Chandon champagne were brought into the port of New York last year, keeping this grand wine at the head of the list, the amount being over 50 per cent. greater than the importations of the brand which stands second on the list. White Seal "1900," acknowledged as perfection in champagne, is given preference at all first-class hotels and restaurants, and is used almost exclusively at all prominent functions.—[Adv.

"Times" Knowledge Contest.

Particulars of the plan offering successful contestants $150 in gold appeared in Thursday's issue, February 22. It is not too late to try for one of the cash payments.

'PHONE your orders for fruits, vegetables, meats, poultry, delicacies, flowers. Exchange 298. Delivered any part of city. Lamb Department Market.

RUSSIAN STREET LINES TO BE REMODELED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is authoritatively stated that Westinghouse interests are to undertake the complete construction and equipment of an up-to-date electric traction system in St. Petersburg which will represent an expenditure of $10,000,000. The contract for the first portion of the new lines calls for the conversion of the Westinghouse car lines in the Nevsky Prospect and other important streets in the center of the city, in all about twenty miles. Later on thirty miles of additional lines will be added. The lines will be operated by the municipality.

The underground-conduit system will be employed. The conduit will be shipped by the National Fireproofing Company of Pittsburgh. The rails will be bought from the United States Steel Corporation. The contract is the most important one ever let to American interests in continental Europe.

MILEAGE BOOK EXCESS.

"RAILROAD INTIMIDATION."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALTOONA (Pa.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Under the specious appearance of replying to protests from business men against its practice of charging an excess deposit of $10 on mileage books, letters are being received by hundreds of merchants here and in surrounding towns, in which the railroad seeks to intimidate them by a veiled threat. The letter, after giving a long-winded explanation of why the Pennsylvania Railroad is legally entitled to demand an excess deposit, closes with a paragraph which says, in brief, that, as the mileage book is really of no benefit to the railroad, the company is willing to do away with it if the merchants dare suffer the consequences.

Recipients of these letters are incensed at the railroad, and declare that if it makes good its threat, the audacity of the movement will be construed as open defiance to the public. This, they say, would mean that everybody would turn in and fight for a flat 2-cent-per-mile rate, irrespective of the kind of ticket purchased.

Copies of the Pennsylvania's letter are to be sent to the "Homeless Twenty-Six," the Pittsburgh organization of traveling men responsible for bringing the railroad's action before the Legislature, also to members of the Legislature and to Atty.-Gen. Carson.

Union Pacific Distribution.

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Plans are being worked out by Union Pacific officials which may result in distribution of common stock worth as much as $35 per share. The distribution will amount to recognition of the rights of common stockholders to own and receive the divisible surplus of the company. This is figured to amount to over $50,000,000, including the proceeds of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific stock with rights and net cash surplus after December dividends. The plan calls for payment of scrip dividend of between 25 and 40 per cent. in Union Pacific 4-per-cent. preferred to common-stock holders.

Western Pacific Secures Rights.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—United States Circuit Judge Morrow today signed a stipulation entered into by the attorneys for the Southern Pacific and Western Pacific railroads, permitting the Western to move 500 feet of track from Federal property on the north training wall of the Oakland waterfront. The agreement permits the removal from fifteen to thirty feet onto property now in dispute, and declared by some to be State property. It is stipulated that the Southern Pacific does not lose any of its rights by this action. The Western Pacific began the work of removing the track, tonight, the workmen being under the protection of armed guards. Why the work was begun after dark and the presence of the guards was not explained.

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STEAMSHIP Francis H. Leggett—Sat., Feb. 24—
Will sail for San Francisco: S.S. HOME CITY for San Francisco and Portland direct Feb. 24; S. S. CASCADE for San Francisco and Portland Feb. 26; S.S. CENTRALIA for Pt. Harford, Aberdeen and Seattle direct Feb. 27. Rates to San Franc sco, first class $9.85, second $7.35, includ ng berth and meals. For further information apply to C. J. LEHMAN, General Agent, 606 South Spring St. Both Phones 6/2.

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HONOLULU, S.S. Alameda, Feb. 24; HONOLULU, SAMOA, NEW ZEALAND and AUSTRALIA, S.S. Ventura, March 8; TAHITI, S.S. Mariposa, March 17. Information, literature and tickets at 643 South Spring St., Los Angeles. Home Phone 1203. F. H. Jeanie, General Agent.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.

BELASCO THEATER—BELASCO, MAYER & CO., Proprietors. PHONES—Main 2260, Home 247. MATINEE TODAY TONIGHT AND TOMORROW NIGHT—The Belasco Stock Company in the Great Tully College Farce
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Crichton is pronounced Cry-ton. The first six correct answers were received as follows: N. Bowditch Blunt of the City Engineer's Office; Horace B. King of the First National Bank; Grace Poyzer, 607 Hobart street; W. F. Ashbridge, 929 East Thirty-eighth street, and Miss Miller, 1907 East Forty-seventh street, and M. Moore, 2719 Auburn street. These guessers may obtain their seats for Monday night's performance of "THE ADMIRABLE CRICHTON" upon application at the Belasco Theater Box Office today, after having been identified.

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

SAPPEARS FROM TRAIN.

French Girl Ill Mentally is Missing.

Trainmen, Crossing Carquinez Straits.

Sellers Get Options on Sites for Smelters.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

RENO, Feb. 23.—Miss Mary Martin, a French girl until recently employed in a steam laundry here, has disappeared from the west-bound train that left Reno last night. It is feared that she threw herself into the Straits of Carquinez while the train was being ferried from Benicia to Port Costa, on the line in Solano. Her mind was slightly affected, as she became ill several times yesterday and last night, while awaiting the arrival of the train she was to take from Reno. Miss Martin was about 22 years of age and has a brother somewhere in Idaho. He is a sheepherder. The girl was en route for San Francisco.

Her disappearance created a stir in the train. She said that she lost her purse, and it required a long search to find it. She was rushed on board the train by several friends, who impressed upon the conductor and the porter the necessity of keeping a watch upon the young woman, who attempted to leave the train at Sparks. She was forcibly detained after great difficulty was kept in the car until Sacramento was reached, when the train changed crews.

Upon leaving Sacramento, she lost sight of again. She was unable to find her when the conductor came around, and he was on the point of reporting her from the coach when several persons in the car paid her fare to Oakland. She insisted on leaving the train as it was being ferried across the bay, and when the trainmen looked for her when Port Costa was reached she could not be found. A search of the ferryboat was made, but no trace was found of her.

CANN IN COMMAND.

ORDERS TO THE QUEEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, Feb. 23.—Capt. T. H. Cann, master of the steamer City of Seattle, when that vessel was at the time of the wreck of the steamship Queen, testified before the Federal Inspectors today. Capt. Patterson, president of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, and J. E. Pharo, general manager at that time, have been accused of taking command of the Topeka, and it was denied by the commissioners learn just what the orders for the steamer were to return to Victoria.

Cann said that he was in command of the Topeka at all times and that he was in charge of the expedition. He received suggestions from Captain Patterson and Pharo in regard to the best means of saving the cargo from the Valencia, but was in full command of his ship at all times.

...SHOT HIS WIFE; GETS BULLET.

...SHOOTS HIMSELF AND HIMSELF.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Made desperate by the loss of his citizenship papers and his employment, torpedo Johnny, Richard Rabenaker shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Rabenaker, and inflicted a mortal wound upon himself.

Only a short time ago, Rabenaker was chief officer of the steamer Peru. When officials discovered that he had fraudulent citizenship papers and employment was dismissed from the service of the steamship company. He had been maintaining relations with Mrs. Monroe, the wife of Jesse Monroe, now in Dawson City. It is said that after some mining interests Rabenaker desired to marry her, but that his wishes were impossible as she would not secure a divorce.

Rabenaker visited her at the home of her father and without giving any of his intentions, shot her through the head. He then shot himself. Physicians say that both will die this morning.

...WILL SOON BE CAUGHT.

...MURDER OF JOHN STINSON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—It seems that developments which leaked out that the murderer who took the life of John Stinson and robbed him of $2000, will soon be caught and brought to justice.

Both the detectives employed by Attorney W. Sawyer to investigate matters surrounding the death of Stinson are trying in every way possible to keep their movements secret, it is well known today that the man suspected as guilty of the crime is in San Francisco, but somewhere in the Sacramento Valley.

...SELLER GETS OPTIONS.

...SITES FOR SMELTING PLANTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Arthur Heller has arrived here from the east to become active charge of the work of building a big smelting plant for the American Smelters' Securities Company.

For several days, representatives of the Guggenheims and the Rockefellers have had an option on a site near Port Costa for the new plant. It now develops that an option has also been secured on a site near San Bruna Point, on the north side of this city, on the upper bay. Both sites are close to deep water, and it is said a series of observations is being made to determine how dredging at each place will spread with a minimum of annoyance and damage to surrounding property. Several million dollars will be spent on the plant.

...SETTLEMENT WITH HEBER.

...SETTLEMENT OF SUITS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—An agreement has been entered into between the California Development Company and A. H. Heber and the Cudahy Lake Cattle Company, in which it is certified and agreed that all differences between them have been settled and each acknowledges the other full satisfaction and discharge of all obligations and agreements to date.

The agreement, or certificate, further states that A. H. Heber from all charges of wrongdoing or mismanagement of the company during the time he was at the head of its management, and conveys leases to Heber its promissory notes for $11,540, and bonds of the company to the amount of $14,025. Mr. Heber, former president of the California Development Company, has issued a statement to the effect that late troubles of the company were due to incompetent engineering and an insubordinate chief engineer; that the engineer refused to carry out his instructions to build controlling works on the Colorado River at the time the openings were made on the Mexican side of the line, "although the material for such had been shipped for such purpose on three different occasions."

Beaten by Minnesota Team.

STOCKTON, Feb. 23.—The Red Men's basketball team of Red Wing, Minn., defeated the Stockton Y.M.C.A. boys this evening by a score of 21 to 4, after a most exciting contest. This is the first time that the locals have been bested, but they still retain the championship of the State. The Chicago Meteor basketball team, en route to San Francisco, stopped over for the game.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Construction Train Drops.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—A construction train consisting of a small engine and six dump cars and engaged in the work of building the Ocean Shore Railway in the vicinity of Onondaga and Mission streets came to grief, yesterday, while crossing a trestle which, probably through the weight, gave way, precipitating the engine and cars down twenty feet. A number of men escaped with a slight shaking up, but one of the laborers, William Kirksey, sustained a fracture of the left leg.

Discuss International Arbitration.

BERKELEY, Feb. 23.—Joining with universities and colleges the country over, the University of California yesterday afternoon celebrated the anniversary of George Washington's birthday with a great meeting in the Greek Theater, at which the subject of international arbitration was discussed.

Fire Makes Thousand Idle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—It is estimated that over 8000 persons have been thrown out of employment by the fire which destroyed Station C of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company yesterday morning. About four hundred factories were shut down today and it is not expected that they will be able to resume work until Monday.

Recommend Advance in Lumber.

TACOMA, Feb. 23.—The joint price list committee of the three lumber manufacturers' associations of Oregon, Washington and southwestern Washington agreed to recommend to the Pacific Coast Manufacturers' Association, in session here today, an advance of $2 on all grades of the present schedule except railroad ties, which are advanced $1.

Robbing Dead Indians of Curios.

VICTORIA, Feb. 23.—The steamer Ventura, which arrived at Nanaimo last night from Port Essington, reports that the Indians are up in arms because of the looting of Indian graves by curio collectors seeking Indian relics buried with the dead owners. Last Saturday an Indian guard fired many shots at unknown men in the cemetery, without wounding any one, however.

Long Overdue Steamer in Port.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Feb. 23.—The long-overdue steamer Dora, which reached Port Angeles this afternoon at 4 o'clock was reinsured at 50 per cent, and was given up as lost. The fifty people on board were all well. The Dora was blown off her course similarly to the steamer Golden Gate in 1899. The revenue cutter Rush is now searching for the Dora near Dutch Harbor.

Send for Mrs. Barnett's Brother.

STOCKTON, Feb. 23.—The authorities decided this evening to send for Elmer Ramsey, brother of Mrs. J. Barnett, who was at the Barnett home when James Barnett and two children died from mercury poisoning. Ramsey is in Yuba City, and on his return will be questioned by the District Attorney. It was also decided tonight to exhume the body of little Vera Barnett, the first child to die. Mercury poison was found in the stomach of James, Jr., whose body was exhumed yesterday.

WEDDING BLAZES.

Bride's Trousseau is Burned and Groom Has Whiskers Singed Off, but Matrimony Prevails.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BUTLER (Pa.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although the bride's trousseau was burned and the groom's hair and whiskers singed off, the wedding of Miss Matilda McBride to Thomas J. McLafferty went on just the same today.

While Miss McBride, her mother, and her bridesmaid were in an upstairs room, dressing for the wedding, a gas jet ignited a lace curtain, and in an instant the room was ablaze.

McLafferty rushed upstairs, and, seizing his bride's "going-away" gown, began beating out the flames. He succeeded in doing so, but his hands were badly burned and his hair and beard singed off. The bride hunted up an old gown, and the wedding party bravely moved on to St. Johns Roman Catholic Church, where the knot was tied.

GAVE INFORMATION TO MOODY.

At Direction of President, Garfield Turned Over Certain Points About Packers.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Cross examination of James R. Garfield, Commissioner of Corporations, was begun today in the packers case.

Previous to the cross-examination by Attorney Hynes, Dist.-Atty. Morrison took up the matter of the alleged turning over of data by Mr. Garfield to the Department of Justice. He asked Mr. Garfield to give a complete statement on this point.

"Information relative to the beef industry," said Mr. Garfield, "was from time to time reported by me to the President. Some of it was in the form of verbal reports and others in the form of written reports. Certain portions of that information the President directed me to give to the Attorney-General. Those portions which he directed me to give I did, from time to time, turn over to the Attorney-General."

"What information was it?"

"It was information having to do with the statements that had been received by my agents from different men all over the country, either claiming to have knowledge or offering information as to the alleged violations of the injunction or as to alleged violations of law."

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FORTIFY HOUSES AGAINST BOXERS.

CATHOLICS IN HONAN VILLAGES ALMOST BESIEGED.

Attack Made on Settlement at Yan Chiau Fails, Although Family of Five is Massacred—German Legation at Peking Doubles Sentries, Fearing Trouble Today.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PEKING, Feb. 23.—The trouble in the province of Honan has subsided, the provincial Governor having sent troops to the scene of the disturbance. The government acted promptly, as in the case of all the recent outbreaks, but it is difficult to foresee where an uprising is likely to occur.

In parts of the interior where there are Catholic missions strong Boxer organizations have been maintained since 1900, and the Catholics in the villages have lived almost in a state of siege, their houses being fortified and the inhabitants armed and constantly prepared to resist attack.

A dispatch from Chow Kiakou, province of Honan, says that the Benevolent and Righteous Society has been drilling for months, in anticipation of a popular rising March 8. The officials prohibited the celebration of the lantern festival at the end of the New Year celebrations, lest it result in disorders.

An attack was made on the Catholic settlement at Yan Chiau, but it failed, although a family of five was massacred. The inhabitants of Yan Chiau were panic-stricken, the gates were closed, the height of the walls was increased and the official offered a reward of 1000 taels for the capture of the leaders of the disturbance. Soldiers arrived on the scene February 14, and the Boxers fled. The locality is now quieter.

FEAR TROUBLE TODAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The correspondent of the Tribune at Peking says: "The court is nervous over the possibility of trouble February 24. The president of the Chinese Foreign Board appreciates the possibility of an anti-dynastic rising. The German legation last night doubled its sentries on account of the posting of anti-foreign placards at Tien-Tsin."

ABLE REPORT, SAYS MORTON.

PRAISES WORK OF ARMSTRONG COMMITTEE.

President of Equitable Feels Bound to Respect Conclusions of Legislative Insurance Investigators, Though Not Agreeing With Them Altogether.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—President Paul Morton of the Equitable Life Assurance Society today made the following statement concerning the report of the Armstrong committee as made to the Legislature yesterday:

"I have thus far had time to read the report of the insurance investigating committee only very hurriedly. It is certainly a most able and exhaustive document, and shows that the committee and its counsel have done their work with great courage, thoroughness and intelligence. For this reason, I feel bound to respect their conclusions, notwithstanding that I do not agree with them in some of their recommendations. This is all I have to say in regard to the matter at the present time."

TYREE'S EXAMINATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SALT LAKE, Feb. 23.—The preliminary examination of Hiram Tyree and Cameron C. Wylie, president and secretary, respectively, of the Continental Life Insurance and Investment Company, charged with certifying to the Secretary of State of Utah a false report of the company's business, was continued today in the police court.

The most important witness was F. M. Raiff of San Francisco, former manager of the Western Agencies Company, a San Francisco adjunct of the insurance company. Raiff testified that in a recent conversation at Sacramento President Tyree had admitted to him that, when the report was made to the Secretary of State of Utah, there was a deficit of $28,000 in the company's treasury and to avoid showing this deficit it was necessary to keep the books open after December 31, 1904, which was the date of the report to the Secretary of State. It was some weeks after this date before the report was filed.

Through witness Raiff, the prosecution introduced a letter from President Tyree to Raiff, written since the institution of the criminal action, in which Tyree stated that he hoped to influence the County Attorney to dismiss the action, and that in this effort he had the assistance of the leading business men and financiers of Salt Lake.

William E. Block, secretary to Samuel Newhouse; Philip Harding, former book-keeper of the insurance company, and Dr. H. N. Mayo identified checks drawn in favor of the insurance company subsequent to December 31, 1904, but which appear in the company's books as having been received prior to that date.

IVAN TO BE HEAVILY TAXED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 23.—In the course of an article pointing out a general improvement in the financial situation Premier Witte's newspaper organ, the Russkoe Gossudarstvo, states that, owing to the impossibility of raising the $300,000,000 required to meet the extraordinary expenditures provided for in the budget by ordinary means, it will be needful to have recourse to the more or less extreme measures to which other states frequently resort when they find themselves in an analageous difficulty.

VICTOR F. LAWSON ILL.

CHICAGO (Ill.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is rumored here that Victor F. Lawson, owner of the Daily News and Record-Herald, broken in health from managerial perplexities and financial obligations, will retire. He is now in Europe.

ALEXANDER IS IMPROVED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—H. W. Alexander, son of James W. Alexander, former president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, said tonight that his father's condition was more encouraging than it had been at any time since his illness set in, and the family and the physicians in attendance were now hopeful of recovery.

FIND NEW KIND OF GRAFT.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—County Treasurer Hilicka received about $20,000 in gratuities for various banks for deposits of public funds, according to his testimony today before the commission appointed by the State Senate to investigate the public offices of Cincinnati and Hamilton county.

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OBITUARY.

John S. Lindsay.

SALT LAKE, Feb. 23.—John S. Lindsay, a veteran Shakesperean actor, died here yesterday from heart trouble. He was 65 years of age and came to Utah in 1861. He was a member of the original Salt Lake stock company which included the mothers of Maud Adams and Blanche Bates. Mr. Lindsay traveled with McCullough, Davenport, Keene and other famous tragedians of another day. He had also toured the Western States with companies of his own.

WHITE FAVORS LYNCHING.

ITHACA (N. Y.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Andrew D. White, former Ambassador to Germany, in an address before Cornell students today, came out strongly in favor of lynching. He quoted Goldwin Smith in saying that there were communities in the United States where lynch law is better than any other, and excoriated mauldin protest against summary disposal of murderers and ravishers. He said that only one in forty-six murderers is legally executed.

AGAIN INDICT BLACKBURN.

ASHEVILLE (N. C.) Feb. 23.—The grand jury of the United States District Court, today returned another true bill against Congressman Blackburn, charging him with practicing before the Treasury Department, in violation of the Federal statutes.

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HEPBURN BILL FACES SENATE.

Committee to Report It, and Not Amended.

Senators of Aldrich Class Reserve Their "Rights."

Republicans Hand It Over to Brother Tillman.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—By a vote of 8 to 5, the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce today agreed to report the Hepburn Rate Bill without amendment, but the resolution reserved to the members of the committee freedom of action concerning amendments offered in the Senate. By a vote of 5 to 3, Republicans prevailing, Senator Tillman, a Democrat, was given the honor of reporting the bill This establishes a precedent, in that a Republican Senate committee has given to a Democrat control of an important measure passed by a Republican House and indorsed by a Republican President. Senators Tillman and Carmack were absent, and their votes were recorded only on the main proposition. The resolution follows:

Hon. Jonathan P. Dolliver

"Resolved, That the Interstate Commerce Commission report favorably House bill No. 12,987, as it passed the House of Representatives, it being understood that members of the committee have a right to vote as they choose on amendments or to offer amendments in the Senate on consideration of the bill."

DOLLIVER'S RESOLUTION AMENDED.

Senator Dolliver offered the first part of the resolution, and Senator Aldrich made a motion to amend by adding the restrictions concerning amendments. The Aldrich motion prevailed, the affirmative votes being those of Senators Elkins, Aldrich, Keane, Foraker, Crane, Tillman, Foster and Newlands. The negative votes were from Senators Dolliver, Clapp and McLaurin. After the meeting, however, Senator McLaurin said that he had intended to vote for the change, and a change was made in the committee record, leaving only Dolliver and Clapp for the resolution as offered by Senator Dolliver.

The vote for the resolution as amended was:

Affirmative—Senators Cullom, Dolliver, Clapp, Tillman, McLaurin, Carmack, Foster and Newlands.

Negative—Senators Elkins, Aldrich, Kean, Foraker and Crane.

Senator Aldrich then moved that the bill be reported by Chairman Elkins, but Senator Dolliver protested that some friend of the measure should make the report, and Senator Aldrich amended his motion, providing that the report should be made by Senator Tillman. He stated that the Democratic members furnished the majority of the votes of the bill, and that it was proper to have the minority "father it." This was taken by Senators Dolliver and Clapp as an effort to humiliate them, but they remained silent.

DOLLIVER TURNED DOWN.

Chairman Elkins suggested that the report should be made by Senator Dolliver, who had been one of the men who helped draft the Hepburn bill and a leader in the fight to prevent the adoption of amenments. Only Senator Clapp supported the suggestion, which had been made informally.

A vote was then had on the question of who should report the bill, resulting as follows:

For Senator Tillman—Senators Aldrich, Kean, Foraker, Crane and McLaurin.

For Senator Dolliver—Senators Elkins, Clapp and Newlands.

Not Voting—Senators Dolliver, Tillman and Foster.

BEGAN IN DOUBT.

Before the session today, the result was in doubt. The division of the Republican Senators on the question of judicial review of orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission left the Democratic members in absolute control. It was apparent that if they divided, the court-review amendment would be adopted. The minority members, after trying to get together last night, held a second conference early this morning. The expression at the conference was to report the bill without recommendation of any character, but the agreement was not binding. With that understanding the Democrats went into the meeting. The Republicans were already assembled. The minority did not make its decision known, and the Hepburn bill was taken up. The conservative Republican faction sought to amend the first section.

CULLOM'S TELEGRAM.

At that juncture Senator Dolliver, leading the force that was opposed to amendments, read a telegram from Senator Cullom asking that he be recorded against all amendments that were not recommended by the committee unanimously and to cast his vote for the Hepburn bill as it came from the House. Objection was made to recording Senator Cullom on any amendments that had been submitted to him.

Senator Dolliver then moved to report the Hepburn bill favorably, as it was passed by the House, and said that on that motion he would demand that Mr. Cullom's vote be recorded. This precipitated a lining-up on the only important contention, and the Democrats desired time for further consultation. A recess was taken until 2 o'clock.

MINORITY STICKS TOGETHER.

The four minority members present withdrew to Senator Tillman's committee-room, and then decided to stand as a unit for the Hepburn bill, with the reservation provided in the resolution that was finally adopted. They did not insist upon this freedom of action being made a part of the resolution, however.

ALDRICH SECURES AMENDMENT.

When the committee reassembled, Senator Dolliver called for a vote on his motion. Senator Foster said that he was ready to vote for it, but he made the statement that he should reserve the right to vote for amendments in the Senate, if he chose. That was the position taken by Senator McLaurin, and Senator Aldrich said that if that was the situation, it should be made a part of the motion. The result was as stated before.

SENATORS INTERESTED.

In spite of the fact that the Senate was not in session, today, nearly all of the Senators were drawn to the Capitol by the contest in the Interstate Commerce Committee. As soon as the result was made known, speculation began as to the probable procedure on the floor of the Senate. It was predicted that there would be delays and all sorts of obstructive tactics used. This was contradicted, however, by Senators Aldrich and Crane and other leading Senators, not members of the Interstate Commerce Committee. They said they would favor reporting an agreement whereby the bill could be placed on the calendar as unfinished business, ahead of the Statehood bill. They said they thought the prominence given the railroad rate question and the interest the people of the whole United States have taken in it have entitled the question to early consideration.

SAY BILL WILL PASS.

It was agreed, however, on all sides, that the discussion must be prolonged, and that undoubtedly it would be as bitter as any that has taken place in the Senate. All factions concede that the Hepburn bill will pass the Senate, the only contest will be over an effort to incorporate in the bill some provision for court review of orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

DOLLIVER SATISFIED.

In discussing the action of the committee Senator Dolliver said tonight:

"The action of the Senate committee is entirely satisfactory to me. The only thing about it which is important is the fact that it places the bill which the House of Representatives passed with only seven dissenting votes on the calendar of the Senate, where nothing can happen to it which does not happen in broad daylight, after full public discussion. The Senators who favor this legislation care nothing who reports it. Their interest is to get it reported and acted upon in an open and straightforward way. All they ask is that this bill be put to a vote. They have today taken an important step in that direction."

FAVOR COURT REVIEW.

Senators Aldrich and Crane authorized the statement that four of the five Senators who cast their votes against the bill would have voted for it if it had contained the addition of a provision for review by the courts of the findings of the commission. They are Messrs. Elkins, Aldrich, Kean and Crane. Senator Foraker is opposed to the principle involved in the bill, and would have voted against it, even with the court provision added, but with that addition his would have been the only negative vote.

TILLMAN TAKEN ABACK.

Senator Tillman, who was designated by the committee to report the bill, said after the committee adjourned: "It was an unexpected, and in one sense an undesired honor and responsibility that was thrust upon me. As far as I am able, I will endeavor to secure the passage of the bill through the Senate with such amendments as will make it more acceptable to the business interests of the country and remedy the evils which have produced such widespread agitation. The policy is essentially Democratic. The proposed bill had the unanimous support of the Democrats of the House, and I hope that with a few slight amendments it will get the same support in the Senate."

AGAINST COAL OPERATIONS.

Senator Tillman said that one of the more essential amendments he should endeavor to procure looks to "the absolute divorce of public carriers, as such, from the production of coal, as miners, which condition of monopoly had created such a strong feeling of dissatisfaction and anger in the bituminous and anthracite coal regions." He has already directed an amendment covering the point. He said that something ought to be done to compel the trunk lines to make connection with spurs and feeding lines, and give them fair treatment in the distribution of cars and offer equal facilities with other shippers.

Senator Tillman stated that in making the report on the bill he would not prepare a formal analysis for presentation to the Senate, but the report would simply transmit the action of the committee to the Senate, together with a synopsis of the testimony taken before the committee. He has not yet taken into consideration the question of bringing the bill before the Senate, but said he would press it with the view of having the discussion commenced as soon as convenient and possible.

SENATORIAL "SOLECISM."

Senator Elkins characterized it as a "solecism" to have a Democrat report from a Republican committee to a Republican Senate a bill which had been reported by a Republican committee in the House and passed by a Republican House. He believed that the bill should have been in charge of Senator Dolliver, who had insisted that it be reported as it came from the House, especially as it was finally reported in that shape. Senator Elkins said that he would have voted for the bill if the committee would have allowed one amendment which he had proposed and which vitally affected the interests of his State, West Virginia.

PHILIPPINE TARIFF BILL.

ADVOCATES OF REDUCTION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Senate Committee on the Philippines today concluded its hearings on the Philippine Tariff Bill, which have been in progress for the past month, and Senator Lodge, chairman of the committee, said that he probably would call a meeting of the committee for next Tuesday to decide on a report.

There were three witnesses before the committee today. They were C. T. Smith of Michigan, who opposed the bill in the interest of the beet-sugar makers; George B. Rea of Manila, and W. C. Welborn, director of agriculture for the Philippine Islands, both of whom advocate the passage of the reduction bill. Welborn said he had changed the opinion advanced by him before the House committee that the passage of the bill would have the effect of bringing practically all of the Philippine sugar to the United States. He now believed, he said, that even with the pending bill a law, much of the sugar produced in the islands would continue to go to China.

RELISH FIGHT ON COMBINES.

House Adopts Resolution for Coal-and-Oil Inquiry.

Speakers Denounce Practices of Offending Railroads.

Hundreds of Owners Suffer from Discrimination.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Preceded by a debate which indicated no hesitancy, but rather a relish in taking action against alleged railroad combinations, the House agreed, without opposition today to the Tillman-Gillespie resolution, directing the Interstate Commerce Commission to make an immediate inquiry and report regarding alleged restraints of trade on the part of the railroads in the handling of coal and oil. The resolution was not in the form in which it passed the Senate, and will go back to that body for its second action.

The debate occupied an hour, and consisted of a succession of speeches in denunciation of alleged practices and an indorsement of the proposed investigation. The only note of apprehension was from Mr. Mann of Illinois, who called attention to the law which exempts from prosecution persons who may testify in the inquiry. In this manner, he said, the guilty officials, if any such were found, might be able to escape punishment. It was explained that the resolution in no way changed the existing law on this point, and the belief was expressed that, in making the inquiry, the commission would exercise discretion in getting its information from sources which would not exempt possible guilty parties.

SEVERAL BILLS PASSED.

The House devoted the remainder of the day to minor matters, and passed several bills, among which was the famous Mussel Shoals Dam Bill, which was before the House from the President, who returned it with suggestions from the Secretary of War as to amendments. The bill permits the creation of an immense water power on the Tennessee River in Alabama, and has been pending before Congress for several years.

MR. TOWNSEND'S REPORT.

When the Tillman-Gillespie resolution was taken up Mr. Townsend of Michigan presented the resolution with a unanimous report from the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee. In explaining the resolution, Mr. Townsend said:

"This resolution was born of a settled conviction among the people as reflected in Congress that injustice and wrong is being done them by certain interstate carriers of coal and oil. As members of the national Legislature, it seems to me that it is the duty of Congressmen, when great complaints are presented by numerous citizens of high character against conditions which are alleged to injuriously affect producers and consumers of the necessities of life, to at least investigate the complaints with a view to determining, first, whether the complaints are well founded; and, second, if wrongs are found to exist, to discover if possible whether existing laws are being violated, and, third, if any new legislation is necessary.

INJURY, IF NOT RUIN.

"It has been confidently alleged that certain railroad companies have large holdings of coal and oil lands; that they buy and sell coal and oil; that, in other cases, officers of these roads own sufficient stock of the coal and oil companies, when used in connection with the stock owned by the road, to enable them to control such companies; that by reason of such ownership, dealings and collusions, the two great necessities of modern life, coal and oil, are made more expensive to the consumer and at the same time independent owners and dealers in these products are injured, if not ruined.

"It is alleged that hundreds of owners of coal and oil mines and fields are prevented from operation, for the reason that the roads which, under the law should serve them, either fail entirely in furnishing the means of transportation, or else furnish them so inadequately as to make transportation impracticable.

SUBJECTED TO MONOPOLY.

"The result of this can be only that every consumer of coal and oil is subject to the prices of monopoly, which are those of extortion and injustice. It is possible that existing law may not be adequate to reach these evils. If they are found to exist, but there can be no doubt that the government is strong enough to protect its citizens against any of its law-made creatures, and when publicity reveals an evil, Congress will be able and willing to apply a remedy.

"The resolution, as originally presented to the House, contemplated only an investigation in relation to bituminous coal. The Senate resolution included all other products. The gentleman from Kansas, Mr. Campbell, most ably presented resolutions backed by facts showing that oil should be included. The committee believes that carriers of all kinds of coal and oil should be the subject of investigation, and the Interstate Commerce Commission should make it. This investigation should be prompt and fearless, and will be."

OTHER SPEAKERS.

Mr. Grosvenor briefly indorsed the resolution.

Support of the resolution was made by Mr. Williams, the minority leader, in a brief speech.

Mr. Gillespie, as a joint author of the resolution, said that since its introduction he had received many letters from both Democrats and Republicans, and if half that he heard was true, there was a system of commercial brigandage prevailing compared to which the desperado of prior days was child's play.

The resolution was agreed to without opposition.

BILLS PASSED.

Proceeding under call of committees, bills were passed to require $75 worth of work annually on mining claims and $25 worth of work on roads and trails for each mining claim in Alaska; allowing foreign ships to clear from American ports without examination of certificates when the countries to which they belong recognize American certificates of inspection; to prevent foreign-built dredges operating in the United States, except dredges now at work in the United States under contract.

DIVORCE CONGRESS ADJOURNS.

LAST ACTION IMPORTANT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Before finally adjourning last night the Congress on Uniform Divorce Laws for the several States adopted the following resolution, which seeks to make even more stringent the laws pertaining to the "migratory" character of divorces:

"Each State should adopt a statute embodying the principle contained in the Massachusetts act, which is as follows: "If an inhabitant of this Commonwealth goes into another State or county to obtain a divorce for a cause which would not authorize a divorce by the laws of this commonwealth, a divorce so obtained shall be of no force or effect in this commonwealth."

In reporting this resolution, Chairman Smith of the Resolutions Committee explained that its purpose was to guard against migratory divorce, which would still obtain, providing some State or States declined to adopt the uniform divorce code to be prepared.

A resolution was also adopted, providing that "fraud or collusion in obtaining or attempting to obtain divorces should be made statutory crimes by the Criminal Code."

The report of the Committee on the Subject of Marriage Licenses and Marriages was covered by a resolution which declared that, while the congress does not regard the consideration of the marriage law as within the purview of the call under which it assembled, it desires to express its earnest hope that some suitable effort will be made by some other body to secure uniform marriage laws, especially uniform marriage license laws, and it would respectfully recommend the matter to the consideration of the commissioners on uniformity of State laws.

It was further recommended that the necessity for the annual collection and publication of statistics on divorce would greatly assist him in combatting the divorce evil. At present but eleven States compile such statistics.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Yosemite Park Boundary Change.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The California delegation has been unofficially advised that a favorable report will be made by the Secretary of the Interior on a plan to change the boundaries of Yosemite National Park in order to permit the construction of electric railways on an even footing in competition for Yosemite Valley traffic. Southwestern boundaries at present prevents Huntington's line from Fresno from approaching as closely to the valley as the Merced route. Upon receipt of Secretary Hitchcock's report, an effort will be made to secure passage of a bill making the proposed change in the boundary.

Naval Observatory Superintendent.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Rear-Admiral Asa Walker will succeed Rear-Admiral C. M. Chester as superintendent of the Naval Observatory at Washington, when the latter retires from the active list of the navy on the 28th inst.

Mexican War Veterans.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The session of the Association of the Mexican War Veterans was enlivened today by speeches by Brig-Gen. George B. Davis, Judge-Advocate-General, U.S.A.; Chaplain C. C. Pierce, Artillery Corps, U.S.A., and Representatives Garrett of Tennessee and Hughes of West Virginia, all of whom extended words of encouragement and good cheer. Gen. Davis elicited a storm of applause when he suggested that the national government should bring back its soldier dead from Mexico, as was done with the men who died in the war with Spain. As a result of his remarks, the association will pass resolutions to that end. All the old officers were re-elected.

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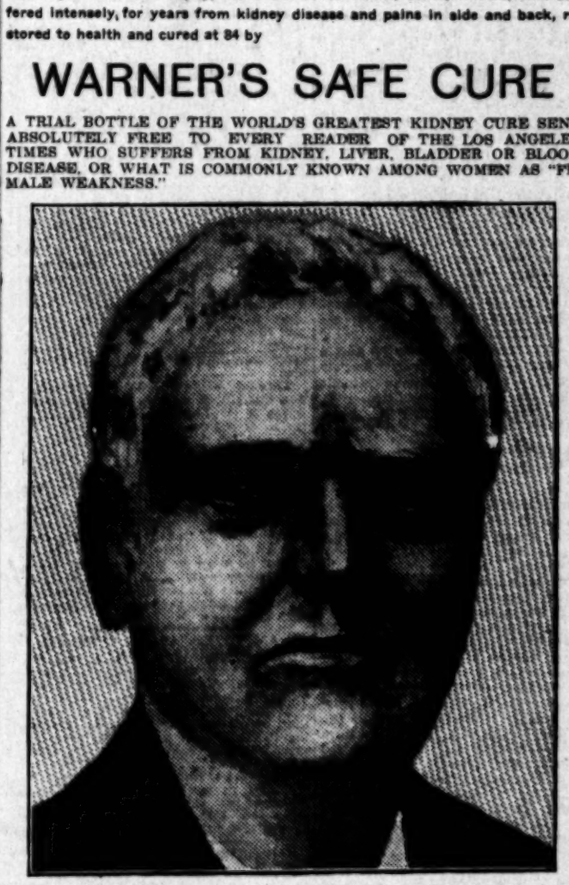

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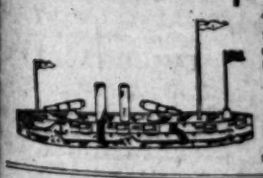

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A splendid assortment of boys' shirts, made of high-grade Madras cloth and percale; new spring colorings; most desirable patterns; sizes 12 to 14; regular $1.00 values. On sale today, second floor, boys' furnishing department, choice, each, 75c.

Battleships Free to Boys Today

Today we distribute free to any boy visiting our boys' clothing department on the second floor a battleship "Texas." These will only be given to boys accompanied by an older person. This is an appropriate toy that any boy will be glad to receive, so bring the children with you today.

Boys' $1.50 Wash Suits 98c

Boys' wash suits, made of fine grade Madras and Galatea cloth; sizes 3 to 9 years; sailor, blouse and Buster Brown styles; regular $1.50 value; today, on the second floor, each, 98c.

Men's 35c and 50c Fancy Hosiery 25c Pair

An exceptional line of men's new fancy hosiery for spring and summer wear; lisles or cottons; silk embroidered figures, lace stripes, allover patterns, also fancy stripes, plaids and checks; full-fashioned; fast colors; hosiery that is priced regularly at 35c and 50c. On sale today, main floor, aisle 8, the pair, 25c.

Men's 75c and $1.00 Gloves 65c

Men's driving gloves, made of heavy quality cape; strongly sewn; perfect fitting; excellent for driving of street wear; the kind you see priced about town at from 75c to $1.00. Today, main floor, aisle 8, the pair, 65c.

Men's $2.00 Pajamas $1.00

Men's pajamas, made of good quality sateen in light colors; small neat patterns; well made; nicely finished; trimmed with large pearl buttons; cut good and full; actual $2.00 ones. Specially priced for today's selling, aisle 8, the pair, $1.00.

Men's Hosiery 7½c

Men's cotton hosiery; seamless finish, fast colors in black or tan; sizes 9½ to 11½; regular price 10c; on sale today, the pair, 7½c.

Men's Work Shirts $1.00

Khaki-colored sateen shirts; something new; made of high-grade sateen; best of workmanship; all sizes; on sale today, each, $1.00.

Men's Fine $1.50 and $2.00 Shirts $1.00

A varied assortment of men's shirts, including golf, pleated fronts, plain and white dress shirts and fancy stiff-bosom styles; excellent assortment of patterns, both in dark and light colors; in this lot are a number of Earl & Wilson and Manhattan brands; all sizes to begin with; actual $1.50 and $2.00 values. This is an opportunity to secure a high-grade shirt at a very small cost. On sale today, main floor, aisle 8, choice, each, $1.00.

50c Briar Pipes 25c

Men's genuine briar pipes; assorted shapes; with rubber, celluloid and horn mouthpieces; actual 50c values; today, aisle 3, each, 25c.

50c Razor Hones 25c

Genuine water razor hones; fine quality grit; extra values at 50c; will put a keen edge on any razor; for today, main floor, head of aisles 4 and 5, each, 25c.

500 Pairs Men's Shoes $1.98

Many Branded $3.00 and $3.50 Ones .....

500 pairs of men's assorted Goodyear welted sole shoes; some of patent leather, others of fine vici kid and still others of velour and box calf; there are single and double soles; lace, Blucher or Congress styles; an endless variety of toe shapes from the broad French toe to the ultra-fashionable shapes for young men; many well-known branded lines at $3.00 and $3.50; all sizes to choose from. On sale today in the shoe department, main floor, the pair, $1.98.

MEN'S SHOES AISLE 9.

Misses' and Children's Shoes 75c

200 PAIRS—VARIOUS STYLES

SIZES 8½ TO 2—REAL $1.50 VALUES.....

200 pairs of misses' and children's shoes; assorted styles; made lace and Blucher effects; pretty rounding toe shapes with patent leather tips; also a number of chocolate colored vici kid shoes in the lot; then some are of bright coltskin oxford styles with plain dress toe shapes; good range of sizes from 8½ to 2; exceptional values at $1.50, but they won't last long at the price, so better come early. Today, the pair, 75c.

Women's Fine Shoes $1.98

WELL WORTH TO $3.50.....

An assorted lot of women's high grade shoes and oxfords; many well known advertised lines, such as "Queen Quality," Majestic and Burt's $3.00 and $3.50 shoes in the lot; choice of vici kid, bright patent colt, chocolate or champagne colored vici; lace, button and Blucher styles in the boots; ribbon tie, Blucher and Gibson tie effect in the low cuts; nobby toe shapes; good range of sizes. Today, the pair, $1.98.

Dress Oxfords $1.59

$3.00 AND $3.50 VALUES .....

Women's dress oxfords, made of finest patent coltskin; strictly hand made; sailor tie, court tie and new street pump effects; plain dress toe shapes trimmed with wide silk bows; Cuban heels; all sizes and widths; oxfords that you see priced elsewhere at $3.00 and $3.50; the quantity is not an extensive one, so better come early, if you're interested. Today while they last, the pair, $1.59.

Women's $1.50 Soft Juliets 98c

Women's Juliets of fine vici kid; either tipped or plain rounding toe shapes; band turned soles; low flat heels; just the shoe for tender feet; always sell for $1.50. On sale today, shoe department, rear of aisle 8, pair 98c.

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The makers of the Ladyship corset recently turned their stock over to another manufacturer. Before negotiations were closed we were able to secure some 400 dozen of this famous make at a ridiculously low figure. The purchase includes the most new and up-to-date models in a good assortment of colors and sizes. For quick selling we've divided them into several lots, at prices that in no way represent even a half of their worth. There's going to be a big crowd after these corsets and some of the lots will dwindle quickly. If you want to secure a high grade up-to-date corset at next-to-nothing prices be here today, and the earlier you come the better the choosing.

Corsets and Tape Girdles 29c

VARIOUS STYLES—VALUES TO $1.00 .....

In connection with this sale of Her Ladyship corsets we offer a broken line of taped girdles; various styles and colors; made of batiste, coutil and net; all well boned; girdles are made of best quality linen and satin finished tape; pink, blue and white; regular values to $1.00; not all sizes in this lot but a good assortment. While they last, today, 29c.

HER LADYSHIP $1.50 CORSETS 49C

All the new models in long and short hip, high and low bust styles; made of best quality batiste and coutil; bias and straight cut; finished with lace and ribbon; these come in black, drab and white; sizes 18 to 30; also fine boned girdles made of good quality coutil finished with ribbon; girdles are in pink, blue, white and black; all $1.50 values. For this sale, each, 49c.

HOCH HANGED.

(Continued from Second Page.)

Bartels, who died a few months later under suspicious circumstances, got $500 from her estate.

November 20, 1901—Married Mrs. Marie Goerke, who owned property in Eugenie street in the name of a niece; urged her to change the title in her own name, and when she refused threatened her life. Deserted her.

March 16, 1903—Married Mrs. Mary Becker at St. Louis, who died February 12, 1904; received her life insurance, amounting to $400.

January 2, 1904—Married Mrs. Hendrickson at Hammond, Ind., and deserted her nineteen days later, taking $500 of her savings.

October 20, 1904—Married Mrs. Caroline Streiker at Philadelphia; obtained $200, and deserted her.

A CASE OF STRYCHNINE.

December 5, 1904—Married Mrs. Marie Walcker, who died five weeks later, January 12, 1905; secured $500. He was convicted on the charge of murder for administering arsenic to her while she was sick.

January 18, 1905—Six days after the death of Mrs. Mary Walcker-Hoch, married her sister, Mrs. Amelia Fischer, from whom he secured $750. She was Hoch's last wife, and sought to secure his pardon after testifying against him.

HIS FATAL MISSTEP.

Hoch's fatal misstep apparently was his failure to have the body of Mrs. Walcker-Hoch embalmed with arsenical fluid, as in the case of his other wives, the process rendering proof of poisoning extremely difficult.

CEMETERIES REFUSE REMAINS.

Hoch's body did not find its last resting-place in Waldheim Cemetery, as had been planned, but is resting tonight in the morgue at Dunning. Permission to inter the body at Waldheim had been granted, but when the cortege arrived at the cemetery, entrance was denied on the ground that a recent rule adopted by the trustees prohibited burial of persons who had been executed. Forest Home Cemetery also refused to receive the remains.

HOCH'S LAST DAY.

EFFORTS TO SAVE HIM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—Hoch slept well all night, and when he awoke this morning he was apparently in a jovial mood. He turned to Guard James Cummings, who was in the room with him, and wished him "good morning." Cummings immediately summoned Night Jailer O'Neil, who came at once to the room and said: "Good morning, John; how are you this morning?"

"I feel fine," said Hoch. "I had a good night, and was not disturbed. I'm feeling fine."

Hoch then gave his order for breakfast and while awaiting its arrival was given several papers to read.

"Look here, O'Neil," he called out. "See what one of the papers says about me."

He then read to O'Neil the article, which said that he had given up all hope and was in a state of collapse.

"That thing says I have lost hope," remarked Hoch, "but I have not. I will keep my nerve to the last."

PETITION FILED.

A short time before the hour set for the execution a petition was filed in the United States Circuit Court by Hoch's attorneys asking Federal intervention to save Hoch. The petition said that the State authorities were endeavoring to execute Hoch in violation of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution and without due process of law. After filing the petition, the attorneys left the Federal building immediately, intending, it was said, to go to the Criminal Court building to try to get a stay of execution, pending action by the Federal courts. As a result of the legal complications, Jailer Whitman announced that the execution would be delayed until application for a writ of habeas corpus could be passed on by some judge in the Federal Court.

THE POINTS RAISED.

Briefly, the points raised in Hoch's petition to the Federal Court were that the judgment of the State court was void because given by a court not of competent jurisdiction; that the sentence was in violation of the Fourteenth Amendment, in that Amelie Fischer-Hoch, wife of the defendant, testified; that Hoch was compelled and did give evidence against himself, and that he was arrested in New York and extradited on a charge of bigamy, and was forthwith charged with murder.

Before Federal Judge Kensaw M. Landis, Hoch's attorneys contended that a writ of habeas corpus should issue forthwith, if the court found that the petition was presented in proper form. Judge Landis suggested that it was also requisite that probable cause for the writ be shown.

PETITION DENIED.

After brief consideration Judge Landis said: "The petition is denied. The proper remedy for counsel was a writ of error from the decision of the State Supreme Court to the United States Supreme Court. The counsel failed to take advantage of that move. The writ is fatally defective, and cannot be made good."

Hoch's attorneys asked an appeal from Judge Landis's decision. Judge Landis replied: "Later in the day I will enter such an order as will enable you to have this case reviewed by the Supreme Court in the absence of your client. I will not now complicate matters by further delay. It would be much easier for me to grant this man ten days' time in which to have this case reviewed by the United States Supreme Court, but respect for orderly procedure compels me to do what I have done. That is my order."

And the court threw the petition to one side.

APPEAL BOND.

After Judge Landis had apparently closed the case Hoch's attorneys hastily prepared an appeal bond and again advanced to the court and renewed the demand for an appeal.

"Under the circumstances I don't think you have any right to appeal," said the court.

"Any citizen has the right to appeal," said Attorney Edward Maher.

"In view of the fact that this matter was delayed until within an hour of the execution I don't think so," replied the court.

ALL TALKED AT ONCE.

Thereupon three attorneys representing Hoch all began to talk at once.

"Well," said the court, "prepare your record and bring it in. I will be here all day."

The attorneys hurried in a cab to the Criminal Court building to get Hoch's signature to the bond, just as word came that the death march had begun. The attorneys arrived at the jail with the appeal bond just in time again to temporarily stop the preparations for the execution.

COURT NOT COMPLACENT.

There was a hasty conference of jail officers, and then Assistant Sheriff Peters consulted by telephone with Judge Landis. Judge Landis said: "I have refused to do anything in the Hoch matter. You need not delay the execution on my account."

Judge Landis, after talking with Assistant Sheriff Peters, started to leave the Federal building. Attorney Maher, with tears in his eyes, begged Judge Landis to stay in the building until the appeal was perfected. Meanwhile, States Attorney Healy advised Sheriff Peters to give Hoch's attorneys fifteen minutes to perfect the appeal before the death march should begin.

Judge Landis declined to wait in the Federal building, saying: "My oath of office demands that I do what I consider right. I don't think that it would be complying with my oath if I delayed this execution."

THE SHERIFF ALSO.

States Attorney Healy took a similar view. He said: "I advised them to hang Hoch. I talked with Judge Landis over the telephone. He told me no order had been entered except a denial of the writ. There was no way legally left for the hanging to be postponed."

DEATH PREPARATIONS.

DOOMED MAN DEMANDS TIME.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 23.—As soon as it was known that the application for the writ of habeas corpus had been denied by Judge Landis, preparations were commenced at the jail for the execution of Hoch. Dr. H. R. Davis, the County Physician, first went to the prisoner's cell. Hoch asked what time it was, and when told it was almost 10:30 o'clock, replied: "They said the end would come about 10:45. I have then fifteen minutes to live, but I want to tell you that I am innocent. I believe in respect for the law, but I am not guilty of murder."

Hoch was advised that his attorneys were making strenuous efforts in his behalf, and to the Rev. Sletche, who called immediately after Dr. Davis, he declared that he intended to insist that all the time given to him under the sentence should be allowed.

He told the clergyman that if an effort was made to take him to the scaffold before 10:30 o'clock he would resist.

At 12 o'clock Deputy Sheriff Petecs, accompanied by Jailer Whitman, entered Hoch's cell, the former holding the death warrant, which they told him they had come to read.

"I am ready to hear it," said Hoch, sitting on the bed.

WARRANT IS READ.

Deputy Sheriff Peters then read the warrant, the two notices of reprieve which had been granted to Hoch and the final decision of the Supreme Court in his case. Throughout the reading Hoch was unmoved, and Deputy Sheriff Peters at the close said to him: "Mr. Hoch, I wish to commend you for the manner in which you have conducted yourself and also for the preparation you have made for the hereafter. I hope God will have mercy on your soul."

Hoch smiled and said quietly: "I am a great sinner in some ways, but I am innocent of this murder."

Then turning to Jailer Whitman Hoch said: "I want all that is coming to me in the way of time. If you try to take me before 1:30 I will fight."

"It will do you no good to fight, Johann," replied Jailer Whitman.

"I know that," said Hoch, "but I want what is coming to me, and if you try to take me before 1:30 I will fight. If you come at 1:30, I will go quietly and you will have no trouble.

HIS TIME ARRIVES.

When Jailer Whitman went to Hoch's cell, accompanied by six guards, he said: "Johann, your time has come."

Hoch had advanced to meet the party and said calmly: "I am ready, Mr. Whitman."

As he left the room, Whitman noticed that he still wore his collar.

"You will have to take that off," said Whitman, pointing to the collar.

"All right," replied Hoch. He took it off and threw it back into the cell. As the death march started he stopped several times to shake hands with the attendants, saying: "Good-bye boys."

THE DROP.

Mr. McNamara, the county physician, was at Hoch's side the instant he fell, and declared that death had been instantaneous, the neck having been broken.

Hoch's marvelous physical strength was shown by the fact that his pulse continued to beat for ten minutes after Dr. McNamara had declared his neck broken.

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wife had me up till 1 o'clock ning helping her look up those ded ads," said a business man day, "and today I have actually ed my business running about ferent firms and telephoning va- merchants, trying to solve the ry of the ads. If this thing keeps I will break me up in business— must say I want the little wom- s win out."

ladies have even gone so far ir enthusiasm over the contest neglect their clubs, and others actually missed bargain sales to over the page of The Times de- to the contest. Society belles ming their brains and tele- and city directories are in active and messenger boys are at a pre- As for the merchants who represented in the contest, they simply besieged on every hand by one trying to match the with the firm, while the tele- girls in the big stores are nearly with the avalanche of inquiries one floating over the wires from minute the store opens in the until it closes at night.

are twenty-one prizes offered aggregating $150 in gold, run- in sums from $1 to $75, and the to tell which firm is represent- each advertisement. There are seven different firms in the con- representing every line of goods from coffee to colleges, to millinery, pianos to pancakes, and diamonds to dry goods.

ants agree that it is one of ost advertisements they ever had. from the amount of inquiry, shows that the people read—not the news printed in The Times, the advertisements as well.

contest will close next Wednes- , and the correct replies will ished Thursday and the names winners will be announced as n possible. The prizes will be , without favor for any one ant over another. Send in your . In the contest last August, the many thousands of answers only one was entirely correct, payments were made without ided. While comparatively win, no one will be the loser ental exercise occasioned by It is a good test of one's of the Los Angeles busi- ss. It is not too late to be- for your answer, even though ery last, may be the correct nearest correct of any. The still open, and it is worth a copy of Thursday's get busy.

PUBLICANS TO FOREGATHER.

LEAGUE OF CLUBS TO MEET IN MAY AT SANTA CRUZ.

Biennial Convention Will Continue Two Days, and Will Plan for Thorough Organization of the Entire State for Next Political Campaign—One Fare Rate.

The biennial convention of the California State League of Republican Clubs will be held in Santa Cruz on Monday and Tuesday, May 14 and 15. The basis of representation will be one delegate at large and one delegate for every twenty-five members upon the roll of each club affiliating with the league, and the president, secretary and treasurer of each of such clubs. All the officers and members of the Executive Committee of the State League, and the club presidents are also accredited delegates to this convention.

Credentials of delegates signed by the president and secretary of each club should be forwarded to the league headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, on or before May 1, so that certificates for reduced transportation rates may be promptly forwarded.

It is proposed that at this convention some shall be taken which will look to the effect of a thorough organization of the party in every city, town and hamlet throughout the State. Several prominent speakers will address the league convention on political topics.

The Southern Pacific and Santa Fé railroads have accorded to delegates to the convention rate of one fare for the round trip from all their points in California. Delegates can be accommodated at Santa Cruz hotels for from $1 to $2 per day.

The object of this league is to promote the success of the Republican party. Its work will be to put every- where in readiness to enter upon a successful campaign after the party nominations have been made.

The league is affiliated with the National League of the United States. The roster of officers is as follows: President, Ford K. Rule, Los Angeles; first vice-president, Orrin S. Henderson, Stockton; second vice-president, Thomas Ricard, Berkeley; treasurer, Willard Coggins, Igerna; secretary, Fulton Taylor, Oakland; assistant secretary, J. Harry Russell, Stockton. Executive Committee, Thomas H. Selvage, Eureka; T. J. Milliken, Sacramento; G. Russell Lukens, Oakland; Charles C. Dibble, San Francisco; Edward Wolfe, San Francisco; J. Harry Corbett, Stockton; C. W. Pendleton, Auburn; F. M. Meyers, Hemet; John H. Savage, San Pedro; Thomas Bradley, Santa Monica (Soldiers' Home); S. D. Hallack, Los Angeles.

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WANTED — 1000 REPRESENTATIVES IN this city and surrounding towns to manage a pleasant and profitable business; ladies or gentlemen. Call or write WILSON ELECTRO INSTITUTE, 304 Mercantile Place, entrance 12.

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PERSONAL—CALL AT ONCE AND SAVE $4. My $5 readings for $1 this week. PROF. SHELDON, Palmist and Psychic.

I do hereby solemnly agree and guarantee to make no charge if I fail to tell you name, occupation and what you called for. I promise to tell you whether husband, wife or sweetheart is true or false; tell you whom and when you will marry—in fact, I will tell you every hope, fear or ambition better than you can tell yourself. I restore lost affection, reunite the separated, cause happy marriage, make you successful, cure disease and lost vitality.

Low fee for this week. PROF. SHELDON, The Windham, 103½ S. Broadway. (Between First and Second sts.) 24

PERSONAL— MARGARET GRAHAM, THE SUCCESSFUL PALMIC. Tells you what you desire to know. Readings given by mail, to out of town patrons. Also readings by mail, if life is in readings by mail. Inclose stamp and give time of birth.

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PERSONAL — MRS. REYNOLDS, THE psychic lady reader, formerly of 715 S. Grand ave., has returned to the city and will be pleased to see her many friends and patrons at her new location, 909½ S. BROADWAY. 24

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PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHOUSE, CELEbrated palmist; acknowledged by the best intellects as most remarkable reader of hands in this country. Also casts horoscopes. High-class patronage. 306½ S. SPRING. 26

PERSONAL— JOHN HENLEY. Platform Test and Business Psychic. The Portland, 444½ S. Spring. Next Public Seance Sunday Evening. 24

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE palmist and life reader; business, law suits, mineral locations described. Speculations, travels, health; all affairs of life. 441 SOUTH SPRING, room 1. Rear 3d st.

PERSONAL—ANYONE KNOWIN GTHE ADdress of C. W. Harding, formerly agent for slot machines on coast, will confer favor by notifying J. box 109, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL — LOUIS SAINTY, FRENCH marcel waver and fine wig maker from Paris, parlors 329½ S. HILL ST. Phone Main 8262

WANTED— Help, Male.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WHO WRITES A good hand to do ledger posting, permanent position. Address O, box 112, TIMES OFFICE. 25

WANTED—HIGH CLASS SOLICITOR, MUST be good on advertising. GEO. VEASEY, room 35, 221 W. 5th st., call 10 to 12 a.m. 25

WANTED—MAN FOR EMPLOYMENT OFfice; must speak Spanish and well recommended. 109 NORTH LOS ANGELES ST. 24

WANTED — EXPERIENCED LAUNDRY help for all departments; steady work; no fees. Apply 208 MERCANTILE PLACE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED MAN TO work in an employment office. Inquire FORTIN & HAWKINS, 104 N. Los Angeles st. 24

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED REFRIGerator salesman; none other need apply. Address N, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 25

WANTED — ENGINEER TO ASSIST ON subdivision work. Call after 5 p.m. at 224 S. Broadway. THE BRIGGS CO. 24

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL TO CARRY morning newspaper route. Apply PRIVER, Times Office, 1st and Broadway.

WANTED—SECOND COOK, HOTEL, ARIzona, $60 month; must be good meat cook. 103 N. LOS ANGELES ST. 24

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO LEARN UNder-pressing in vest shop. Apply BRAUER & KROHN, 128 S. Spring st. 24

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WIRE FRAME makers. Apply L. E. RUSSELL & CO., 124 S. Los Angeles st. 25

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WANTED— HUMMEL BROS. & CO. EMPLOYMENT AGENTS. Established 1891. A strictly first-class, reliable agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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HOTEL DEPARTMENT. First class hotel clerk, northern beach, $30 etc.; restaurant cook, Arizona, $45; fry cook, country hotel, $45 etc.; cook, small restaurant, $12; second cook, $26; bread baker, $16 etc.; second baker, on bread, $12; second baker, pastry, $16; baker's helper, $12 and $13; man and wife, cook and yard man, $50 etc.; man and wife, waiter and waitress, $50 etc.; man and wife, porter and cook, $45 etc.; elevator boy, $15 etc.; waiters, $5, $6, $10, $30 and $40 etc.; bell boy, $15 etc.; dishwashers, $5, $25 and $30 etc.; assistant pantry man, $25 etc.; porter, hotel, $25; marker, laundry, $15; searcher, and polisher, $15; shirt ironer, hand laundry, $15. See our women's list under female help wanted.

HUMMEL BROS., 114-118 E. Second st. 24

WANTED—CROWLEY'S LABOR AGENCY. Home 2222. 111½ E. 2nd st. Main 2938. Foreman, for ..... Mine
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WANTED—WOMAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF dining-room and kitchen for 6 or boarders, young $18 per month; can't only have home cooking required; prefer a woman with child old enough to assist; special educational advantages for child; good living-rooms. Address R, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 25

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, INSTITUtion, city, $50; upstairs and laundry, $30; waiter, dishwasher, $7 per week; fireman, $60; delicacy, $6 week; chambermaids, $20 and $25; seamstress, $6; cook, institution, $40; housegirl, country, $25; housegirls, $30 and $35. HUMMEL BROS., 114½ S. Broadway. 24

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WANTED—2 FIRST-CLASS WAITRESSES. Apply at once; wages $20 per month, room and board. ALVARADO HOTEL, corner 4th and Alvarado sts. 24

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WANTED — 2 FIRST-CLASS LUMBER book-keepers, one who has had Southern California experience preferred; give age, experience and where last employed. Address R, box 118, TIMES OFFICE. 25

WANTED — AN INTELLIGENT YOUNG man with a pleasing address, capable of approaching people; can find splendid opening at GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO., 421 S. Spring st. Ask for Mr. Phillips. 24

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WANTED — CHEF, $70, CHEF, $45; SECond cook, $35 week; yard man, $2; pantry man, $2; dishwasher, $2; dishwasher, $20; city; $2; cooking and dishwashing, $15; $25, $30; $25. 219 S. SPRING, room 17. 24

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WANTED—MUTUAL INDUSTRIAL ASSOciation, 451½ S. Main, room 3, Phone 790. Man and wife for apartment house, $40 found; two ladies of good address, $15 week, commission; lady who understands drug sundries, $12; lady to cook on ranch, Arizona, $35; excellent positions in housework line, with pay from $20 to $35. Pantry girl for hotel, $7.50. 24

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE IN HOSPItal, woman to cook, man general work, $50 and board and room; housework, $20; waitress, room cottage, young woman, blonde preferred, $30; chambermaid, $25, $30; pantry woman, $15 and board; lunch waitress, $5 week; dishwasher, $20; city, $25; cooking and housework, $20, $25, $30

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$2000—Main st., close to junction of Moneta ave., 50x140.

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$1500—Arlington, corner near Wash.... 62x132
$1750—Twenty-first, near Hermosa..... 50x164
$1750—Jefferson, corner (unrestricted) 80x115
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$950—Harvard ave., west front..... 50x150
$1000—58th st. near Main..... 40x132
$1650—Corner 46th and Walrath..... 100x125
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$950—On Avenue 42, between Aldama and Mesa road.
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Be one of the bright ones.
Ring up Home 8727 or Red 1362 and ask about
THE McCARTHY CO.'S new MAIN STREET VILLA TRACT,
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A small cash payment
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NOT A SPECULATION.
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$1000—20th near Main, Moneta 50x150
$1050—Woodlawn ave., near 41st....50x142½

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City Lots and Lands.

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$600 HAVE YOU BOUGHT? $600
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FOR SALE — $400, 1-4 CASH, FOR 50-FOOT lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract, Hollywood; cement curbs, cement walks; oiled streets; you will double your money; take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT and PROSPECT, 1-4 cash, 5c fare.

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$500 $500
$600 OPENING PRICES $600
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FOR SALE—3 LARGE LOTS IN THE ANGELUS VISTA TRACT; 150 feet frontage by 175 feet deep. A sacrifice at $2000.
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Branch Office, Washington and Cimarron. 24

FOR SALE — $600, 1-4 CASH, FOR 50-FOOT lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract, Hollywood; cement curbs, cement walks; oiled streets; you will double your money. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT; 5c fare.

FOR SALE — YOU WILL DOUBLE YOUR money if you buy a $300 lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract; cement walks and curbs; streets oiled; a beauty spot for a home. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—ONLY 3 LOTS LEFT IN OUR Figueroa-Slauson tract, at $500; these are the last close lots in southwest that can be secured for any such money; also one lot on Figueroa st. for $900. Call on BURKE BROS.' LAND CO., 458 S. Spring st. 24

FOR SALE—LOTS; LOTS; LOTS.
We have them southeast, southwest and north, or at beach; on small payments; all prices. See us.
M. & M. REALTY INVESTMENT CO.,
223-4 Bryson Bldg.

FOR SALE — DO YOU WANT A SNAP? Five nice level lots, with 1½-story house; one a corner; W. 41st near Halldale, $3500; investigate this snap; it won't last long; must sell; commission to agents. OWNER, 1556 W. 41st. Tel. West 3489. 25

FOR SALE—$2500; WEST ADAMS HEIGHTS tract; beautiful Oxford avenue; $500 below any other lot in the tract.
U. L. DIKE INVESTMENT COMPANY,
Branch Office, Washington and Cimarron. 24

FOR SALE — AN IDEAL PLACE FOR A home; above front and fog; build your house in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT BLVD.; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—HEADQUARTERS FOR HILL property. Le Moyne Terraces, Grand View Terrace, choice hill lots, building restrictions, acreage on the hills; good investments. L. H. PRESTON, 608 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE — NO BETTER INVESTMENT than a lot in Wiesendanger's Prospect Park tract; your money will double. Take Hollywood car to office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT BLVD.; 5c fare.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$250; 6 CHOICE lots, 50x126, Colegrove (south Hollywood.) $50 down, $10 monthly; will exchange for good city or beach. COVELL, owner, 530 Huntington Bldg. Exchange 1109. 24

FOR SALE—
$700. Cheap lot, Hooper ave. car line, $100 cash.
WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENTS CO.
434 S. Hill st. 24

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, $450. LOT 42x178 TO 20-foot alley, on Boyle Heights; car line within one block to be completed in sixty days. Boyle 10, or address O, box 152, TIMES OFFICE. 25

FOR SALE — $2000 CASH, BALANCE ON mortgage, will buy a corner lot on Figueroa st., 150x125; will subdivide into 4 good lots. A. L. BEST, room 19, Temple Blk. 29

FOR SALE—$4200; 7 LOTS, HIGH, LEVEL, 35 minutes Third and Main; 5-minute car service; building fast all around; principals only. Address R, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 26

FOR SALE—$900; LOT 40x186, NEAR 16TH st. and Don Abel st., $500; easy terms. Sole Agents, F. L. BOTSFORD & CO., 404 L. A. Trust Bldg. Members L.A.R.B. 24

FOR SALE—$2500 ONLY FOR THE BEST business corner on S. Spring st. and Pecan; 51x130. Look at this today, then see HEBER & COOPER, 128 S. Broadway. 24

FOR SALE—$30 CASH AND $30 A MONTH; lots in University section, in city limits; only $490; price includes street improvements. C. E. DODGE, 611 Vermont ave. 24

FOR SALE—OR WILL TRADE FOR LOT within city limits, 1904 Peerless touring car; first-class condition. W. B. MERWIN, 421 622 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 27

FOR SALE—CHOICE CLOSE IN LOTS FOR homes; liberal terms, corner Maple ave., only $2500, corner Trinity $3000. NILES, owner, Maple ave. and 38th.

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST LOTS INSIDE CITY limits; or anywhere else; two for $700; corner of Cheesebrough and E. First. JAMES THOMSON, 203 W. First. 24

FOR SALE—LARGE CORNER LOT WITH 15 foot alley, for improvements within two blocks of Arcade Depot, price $3500. Address 258 E. FIRST ST. 25

FOR SALE—FOR PROSPECT PARK LOTS take Hollywood car to Wiesendanger's office, corner VERMONT AND PROSPECT AVE. 5c fare.

FOR SALE — 3 FINE LOTS FRONTING ON Moneta ave. at 40th st.; will double in value within 18 months. OWNER, 210 Braly Bldg. Phone 492.

FOR SALE—$2450, $2450; THE CHEAPEST corner on Moneta ave.; must be sold. R. S. MARSHEL, 204 Grant Bldg. 'Phone Main 1736. 24

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, A FINE BUILDing lot, 21st st. near Budlong ave., $1100, worth $1500; terms. 617 W. SIXTH. Main 6005. 25

FOR SALE—$650, A LARGE NORTH FRONT lot on 57th st., between Main and Moneta. OWNER, 3042 E. 5th st. Phone Boyle 1195. 25

FOR SALE—THE BEST SITUATED EAST front lot in the Country Club Garvanza Tract, $1800 cash. Owner, P. O. BOX 474, city. 25

FOR SALE — $1000; FINE LOT, WALTON AVE., HALF BLOCK SOUTH JEFFERSON; EAST FRONT. OWNER, HOME 51106. 24

FOR SALE—¼ ACRE VILLA LOTS; STREET graded and oiled; water piped; only $255 down. RAND & CO., 422 Bryson Bldg. 25

FOR SALE—50 FEET ON CERES AVE., 1½ block from Union Depot; price $300 per front foot. Call 657 CERES AVE. 26

FOR SALE—60-FOOT LOT, BEST BUY IN city today, close to car line, southwest. Address R, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 22

FOR SALE—ONE CORNER LOT ON Moneta ave., $1600; easy terms. BURK BROS.' LAND CO., 458 S. Spring st. 24

FOR SALE — A SNAP ON ADAMS NEAR Main; lot 50x160, $2300. Inquire of owner, JOHN L. KLEINPETER, 217 W. Fourth. 25

FOR SALE — LOT ON BONNIE BRAE NEAR Ocean View ave., $1000. OWNER, 1852 Dewey ave., Los Angeles. 25

FOR SALE—½ ACRE AND TWO-ROOM house in Edendale, $700; 1-2 cash. EDWARD WARREN, Edendale. 26

FOR SALE—MUST SELL, ELEGANT FRONT lot, Dewey ave. and 10th st. PHONE RED 836.

FOR SALE — 3 LOTS IN ASCOT PARK. Call 740½ S. FIGUEROA. Phone 7337. 22

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—HOOVER-ST. CORNER—
$600 $600
GOOD BUSINESS CORNER.
HOOVER, NORTH OF TEMPLE.
ANOTHER CORNER.
150x100, just right for three cottages; price $1000; can make very easy terms.
THEO. G. FITCH, 325 W. Fourth st.

FOR SALE—
ON SOUTH MAIN ST.
Near 29th st.
Lot 71x150.
Good improvements.
Price $275 per foot.
Cheapest piece on Main st.
Business Property Department,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 24

FOR SALE—
$1850.
No. 624-626 W. 16th st.; lot 60x126, improved with a modern 2-story flat building, on south side of 16th, near Figueroa; this is a very good buy.

W. H. OBEAR, Suite,
28 405-9-10 Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—
WAREHOUSE SITE.
40x140; 2 cottages on Santa Fe ave., near 7th; renting for $21 per month. Price $2500. This is yours if you are quick enough. Apply to
Manufacturing and Warehouse Dept.,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 24

FOR SALE—$2500.
FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.
BIG BARGAIN.
611 Ceres ave., 25x110; cottage renting for $15 per month; close to new Union Depot.
H. GEIGER,
Occidental Hotel.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTY, STORE with up to date 5 living rooms, in good business location; also store fixtures, will rent well, will make you nice home and good place for business, for $2500, only $1500 cash, $1000 mortgage, 6 per cent. interest. See owner, 2278½ S. MAIN ST. 25

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE ON SOUTH FIGUEROA ST.
LOT 120 BY 190 FEET TO 30-FOOT ALLEY, SURROUNDED WITH THE FINEST PROPERTIES IN THE CITY. JUST SOUTH OF WASHINGTON, IN FINEST BLOCK ON FIGUEROA STREET, AND A BARGAIN.
A BARGAIN AT $12,500.
ONLY TAKES $3000 CASH, BALANCE MORTGAGE 6 PER CENT. THIS PROPERTY WILL SELL FOR $200 FRONT FOOT WITHIN 12 MONTHS. BUY NOW.

Snap, corner on W. Ninth st.; 120 feet frontage, within one block of Figueroa st., for $210 per front foot. Snap.

Corner of Washington and Main sts., improved with brick business buildings, for $665 per front foot. Why not make some easy money by buying this for a quick raise?

Two extra good bargains, 50x155 feet, improved with good 10 room house, on S. Figueroa near 8th st., for $21,000; it's $5000 under market value. It's a fine buy.

50x165 feet on Figueroa near Ninth st. for only $18,000; will sell for $500 per front foot within 6 months time. Buy now.

Lot on Carr st. just west of Main st. for $200 front foot.

Fine corner, close in, on South Flower; size 50x155 feet to alley, improved with modern buildings and well rented, bringing monthly income of $165 per month. Snap at $21,000; terms $11,000 cash, balance on or before 6 per cent. This is paying about 14 per cent. on the amount invested. It's $4000 under real value.

LOT ON FIGUEROA, BETWEEN THIRD AND FOURTH STS., EAST FRONT, FOR ONLY 10 DAYS AT $250 PER FRONT FOOT.
IF YOU WANT A BARGAIN BUY THIS.
A. T. JERGINS & CO., TEL. 1841.
Suite 406, Herman W. Hellman Bldg. 24

FOR SALE—

"IF WE ADVERTISE IT, IT'S SO."

RIGHT WHERE THE PROFITS GROW.

SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE MONEY.

MUST BE TAKEN AT ONCE.

WE HAVE A MAGNIFICENT LOT ON S. FIGUEROA STREET JUST SOUTH OF THIRD STREET. DOUBLE FRONTAGE; FIGUEROA TO FREMONT, WITH THREE COTTAGES; INCOME $55 PER MONTH.

60x330

WE CAN DELIVER THE SAME FOR A FEW DAYS AT A VERY ATTRACTIVE PRICE.

YOU CANNOT MAKE A MISTAKE ON THIS.

FOR FULL PRTICULARS SEE.

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
EST. 1885. 216-218 WEST 2D ST.
MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD.

FOR SALE—

SANTA MONICA.

WE HAVE THE BEST PIECE OF BUSINESS PROPERTY IN SANTA MONICA, RIGHT IN THE BUSIEST SECTION OF TOWN, AT A FIGURE WAY BELOW ITS ACTUAL VALUE.
NEW 2-STORY BRICK BUILDING, 2 STORES AND 12 ROOMS, FURNISHED. THE FURNITURE IS WORTH $1500 AND PROPERTY IS PAYING GOOD INCOME WITH THE ADDITIONAL ADVANTAGE OF A QUICK RISE IN VALUE.

PRICE FOR FEW DAYS ONLY
$20,000.00.
TERMS HALF CASH.
BALANCE 6 PER CENT.

JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
SOLE AGENTS.
218 WEST THIRD ST. 24

FOR SALE—

MATEO STREET.
MATEO STREET.

Close to Palmetto.

42x140 to alley.

With cottage.

$4500—
$4500—

This lot is only lot in block with Santa Fe trackage, and is key to situation.

We have, also, two lots next to this one and the three of them would make an ideal warehouse site.

WE HAVE OPTIONS.

HERRON REALTY CO.,
24 200-201 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
$400 A FOOT FOR 80 FOOT FRONTAGE
LOT 117x140 AND MAIN ST.

40x120 WITH BRICK BUILDING, AT 11TH AND HILL STREETS; GOOD INCOME; SNAP; SOLE AGENTS.

$250 AN ACRE.
532 ACRES, 1 MILE NORTH OF INGLEWOOD, ½-ACRE LOTS ACROSS THE ST. ARE SELLING AT $300. THE BEST BUY IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY; 3 MILES FROM CITY LIMITS AND DIRECTLY BETWEEN LOS ANGELES AND VENICE. NEW AUTOMOBILE BOULEVARD WILL CROSS THIS LAND. ½ MILE FROM REDONDO ELECTRIC RAILROAD.

M. KALISHER & CO.,
MAIN 8703. HOME 8754.
MEMBER L.A.R.B.

FOR SALE—
CENTRAL AVE. IS GREAT,
WE HAVE A CORNER,
50x198 TO ALLEY,
WITH STORE, 3 COTTAGES AND FLATS.
$25,000.
THE OLD, OLD PRICE.
RIGHT IN THE BUSINESS CENTER.
ASK FOR THE CHEAPEST ON THE STREET.
THEN COME AND BUY THIS CHEAPER.
A CITY BLOCK FOR A LOT PRICE.

IF YOU WANT TO INVEST,
HERE IS THE PLACE.

YOUR PROFITS WILL MAKE YOU ANOTHER LOS ANGELES ADVOCATE.

H. G. COTTON & CO.,
322 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
ON SOUTH MAIN ST.
Near 29th st.
Lot 25x146.
Improvements, modern 2-story house.
Price $10,500.
Business Property Department,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 24

FOR SALE—
CENTRAL AVE. CORNER.
A real snap on Central near 15th for $150 per foot. Do you know a good thing when you see it. If so see this. Apply to
Manufacturing and Warehouse Dept.,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 25

FOR SALE—
ON SOUTH MAIN ST.
Corner lot, 40x140.
Improved with 6-room house.
Income $40 per month.
Price $16,000.
Business Property Department,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 24

FOR SALE—
ON SOUTH MAIN ST.
Lot 40x140.
Improved with 2 good store buildings.
Lot 80x156.
Price $525 per foot.
Business Property Department,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 24

FOR SALE—BEST CHANCE THIS CITY TO invest little money; will double in value within six months; building rented; lot 40x164; only 1½ blocks from Broadway and Fourth st.; no agents; must be sacrificed, $25,000. See PHOENIX, 302 Grant Bldg. 24

FOR SALE—BUSINESS LOT, ON WEST THIRD ST. ONLY 2 BLOCKS FROM BROADWAY. SIZE 66x165, WITH 16 FOOT ALLEY, ON THE SIDE. FOR ONLY $250 PER FRONT FOOT. IT'S A SNAP. SEE OWNER, A. T. JERGINS & CO., 406 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE — A GREAT BARGAIN ON E. Fourth st., between Wall and San Pedro. Improved and paying good income; if you want to double your money here is a sure thing; price only $30,000; act quickly. OWNER, 310 Braly Bldg. Home 492.

FOR SALE—IMPROVED WASHINGTON ST. property, near Figueroa, $2000 cash, time on balance. This is fine business property. Room 734 BRYSON BLDG. 25

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

HILL STREET.
HILL STREET.
SEE ME AT ONCE
—FOR—
INSIDE PRICES ON HILL ST. PROPERTY.
INSIDE PRICES.
INSIDE PRICES.

WATCH HILL STREET.
A. E. HALSEY,
25 712 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
CENTRAL AVE. IS A COMMERCIAL THOROUGHFARE OF WONDERFUL PROMISE.
Central ave. will always be found mounting the ladder of higher prices with a normal and vigorous tread; it is and ever will be the great north and south artery of travel to and from the grand Union Depot, the market and the numerous other business features springing up along its frontage.
YOU WILL MAKE NO MISTAKE IN BUYING ON THIS GREAT THOROUGHFARE.
This may interest you, northeast corner Central and 20th; 100x150; price $12,500; easy terms; this corner is vacant, but has a great future; let me tell you about some income properties, too.
W. A. CARNEY, 433 Stimson Bldg. 25

FOR SALE—
"IF WE ADVERTISE IT, IT'S SO."

WASHINGTON-STREET CORNER.
WASHINGTON-STREET CORNER.

SOUTHEAST CORNER WASHINGTON AND MAGNOLIA AVE.

LOT 72x185 FEET.

CHEAPEST LOT ANYWHERE IN THIS LOCALITY, FULLY $50 PER FOOT UNDER VALUE.

—$2600— —$2600— —$2600—

EDWARD D. SILENT & CO.,
EST. 1885. 216-218 WEST 2D ST.
MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD.

FOR SALE—
LOS ANGELES ST. LOS ANGELES ST.
BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH STS.
LOT 28½x149.
IMPROVEMENTS RENTED FOR $816 PER ANNUM. THIS IS THE BEST BUY ON THE STREET. WE CAN DELIVER FOR $750 PER FOOT.
ACT QUICKLY.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
319-323 S. HILL ST. 25

FOR SALE—
SPECIAL BARGAINS ON SOUTH FIGUEROA STREET.
Lot 40 feet frontage near 4th, for $7500.

60x165 feet, west side near 4th, $14,000.

Choice improved frontage just south of Third, 125x185 feet, for only $20,000.

60x165 feet near 9th st., for $24,000.

50x155 feet, just south of 8th st., improved with good 10 room house, rent for $50 per month, a snap at $21,000.

50x165 feet, just south of 9th st., ripe for improving, a bargain at $18,000.

A. T. JERGINS & CO., Suite 400 Herman W. Hellman Bldg. 25

FOR SALE—
A FINE CORNER.
16TH STREET, NEAR FIGUEROA.
$4500—ONLY—$4500.
A RARE CHANCE TO MAKE A QUICK TURN WITH BIG PROFITS. PROPERTY IS ELEGANTLY SITUATED. ALLEY AND NOMINAL IMPROVEMENTS. NOW RENTING FOR $22.50 NET.
16TH STREET IS TO BE WIDENED AND PAVED FROM FIGUEROA STREET WEST, THEN PRICES WILL GO UP, UP, UP.
IT'S A SNAP. LET US SHOW YOU.
BOWEN & DOLTON,
SOLE AGENTS. 420-422-424 DOUGLAS BLDG. 24

FOR SALE—SNAP—SNAP—SNAP—
CHOICE IMPROVED CORNER.
On Flower and 16th sts.; size 50x132 feet. Rented and bringing an income of $162 per month. Flower street is to be paved from 7th to Washington and 16th street is to be widened and paved from Main to Hoover. Get in on the ground floor and reap the great harvest that is coming with these improvements to property owners on these streets. This property is a bargain at $21,000. Only requires $11,000 cash, balance can remain on mortgage at 6 per cent. Think, it's now paying about 14 per cent. net on the amount invested. Waiting is very expensive; now is the opportune time to buy.
A. T. JERGINS & CO., Suite 400 Herman W. Hellman Bldg. 26

FOR SALE—ARCADE DEPOT BARGAIN.
$2750—731 Gladys ave., good 4-room house, with lot, 37½x88, to 15-ft. alley; rental $25 per month. This is less than $75 per front foot for the property vacant and you cannot get anything in the block for a much higher price. In the meantime it pays 6 per cent. net on the price asked and is increasing rapidly in value. You can make some money by holding it awhile. See it.

CROAKE & M'CANN, 235 Douglas Bldg.
Phones Main 8432; Home 1812.
Members Realty Board. 24

FOR SALE—
STOP AND THINK.
60x165—
FIGUEROA STREET.
FIGUEROA STREET.
BETWEEN
SEVENTH AND EIGHTH.
$25,000.
ONLY WHAT A BARGAIN, ONLY
SEE
MR. ANDREWS,
319-323 S. HILL ST.

FOR SALE—
BARGAIN.
$3600—
HOME AND INVESTMENT.
RIGHT AT UNION SQUARE.
50x147—
MODERN 6-ROOM COTTAGE.
Adjoining vacant property held at $250 per foot and only 110 feet deep; look this up at once.
Sole agents, CONWAY & KESSLER,
405 Laughlin Building. 24

FOR SALE—
BY ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
PAYING 12 PER CENT. INTEREST,
ON
$7000—PRICE—$7000.
50x132 feet, with modern 4-flat Building; income $75 per month. 7 minutes' walk of 1st and Broadway.

ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
119 (Main Corridor) Merchants' Trust Bldg.
207 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—LEASE.
A BROADWAY SNAP.
WE WILL GIVE 20-YEAR LEASE, FINE LOT ON BROADWAY, 60-FOOT FRONTAGE, FOR $225 PER MONTH, NET. WILL ALSO GIVE A 40-YEAR LEASE ON ANOTHER BROADWAY LOT, SAME SIZE, AT $250 PER MONTH, NET. THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE A MOST CENTRALLY LOCATED PIECE OF PROPERTY FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUSINESS BLOCK OR APARTMENT-HOUSE.
H. D. ROBINSON COMPANY,
608 GRANT BUILDING. 25

FOR SALE—CORNER OF THIRD AND FIGUEROA, streets, 50 feet fronting on Figueroa, it's an ideal business corner, being only three blocks direct east to Third and Broadway, then figure the difference in price of the two. Broadway and Third street, at $19,000 front foot; Figueroa and Third streets at $2500 foot; it's the cheapest downtown corner on the market. It will sell for $25,000 within 12 months time, so now is the opportune time to buy. A. T. JERGINS & CO., Sole Agents, Suite 400 HERMAN W. HELLMAN BLDG. 26

FOR SALE—
WAREHOUSE SITE.
240x140, Salt Lake spur close to 7th and Santa Fe for only $55 per foot. A big profit should be made on this in thirty days. Apply to
Manufacturing and Warehouse Dept.,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 25

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
$40,000—Lot on San Pedro st., near 6th, $400 per foot.
$30,000—Business corner on Figueroa st., $500 per foot.
$27,500—Lot on South Grand ave., only $550 per foot.
$18,000—Lot on San Julian st., between 5th and 6th, only $225 per foot.
$12,500—Lot on Boyd street, near Los Angeles, only $250 per foot.
$12,000—Lot with 250 feet of the proposed Union depot, less than $200 per foot.
$7500—Lot on Maple ave., between 7th and 8th. Improved with a seven-room cottage.
$4500—Lot on Merchant st., between 7th and 8th. Improved with 10-room double cottage.
$2800—Lot on Hemlock, between 7th and 8th.
OSCAR R. SMITH,
24 325-13-14 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—
MONETA AVE.
MONETA AVE.

EXTENSION OF S. MAIN ST.

CORNER. CORNER. CORNER.
Less than $46 front foot; close to 42nd st.; lot 56½x140½; easy terms. The cheapest buy on Moneta ave. We have option and can deliver.

HERRON REALTY CO.,
25 200-201 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—
JEFFERSON ST. FRONTAGE NEAR WESTERN AVE. sold a month ago for as low as $23 per front foot. Yesterday we closed out a 45-foot lot for $1250, or nearly $28 a foot, and it was bought by one of our shrewdest investors, who has watched Jefferson street closely for months. We wanted YOU to get that bargain but you were too slow.
We are now going to sell the northwest corner of Jefferson and Halldale for $2750, and we are going to sell it within the next few days. This is a CORNER, remember, 85x117 to alley. It figures just $22.35 a foot. Don't you think everything considered that this is a pretty cheap corner.

HERRON REALTY CO.,
25 200-201 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—

SANTA FE AVE. BARGAIN.
SANTA FE AVE. BARGAIN.
$2700.
2 COTTAGES RENTING FOR $24 PER MO. 40x146 TO ALLEY.
BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH STS.

Sole Agents, CONWAY & KESSLER,
405 Laughlin Bldg. 24

FOR SALE—
ONLY $9200.
Cheapest on
EAST FOURTH STREET.
EAST FOURTH STREET.
27½x150.
Close to San Pedro st.
The improvements on this property, 45c. East, are worth $3000.
Owner must raise some cash immediately, so quick.
Sole Agent,
JAMES H. FULCHER, 133 S. Broadway. 24

FOR SALE—BY
BARRY BROS.,
323-329 BRADBURY BLDG.

62x267, SOUTH MAIN, NEAR WASHINGTON, AT A PRICE WHICH MAKES IT A FINE INVESTMENT. ACT QUICKLY IF YOU WANT THIS AT $400 PER FRONT FT.

FOR SALE—
$9750—
The cheapest corner on San Pedro,
North of Washington.
Stores paying $54 per month.
CONWAY & KESSLER,
405 Laughlin Bldg. 24

FOR SALE—
SOUTHEAST CORNER
SPRING AND COURT STS.
A handsomely improved property and a good sure income-producer for all time.
THE PRICE IS RIGHT.
See MR. CHAPELLE,
GOLDEN STATE REALTY CO.,
421 S. Spring st.
24 Both 'Phones Exchange 34.

FOR SALE—
UNION SQUARE.
$2250— $2250— $2250—
Lot 50x145, on 24th st., improved with good 5-room house. This property is within 400 feet of Union Square where property is held at $300 per front foot. It is well located and would pay handsome interest on $11,000.
WHITE & NEWBY, sole agents, 341 Huntington Bldg., Main 6558, Home 4218. 24

FOR SALE—EAST NINTH STREET.
45x125—
ALLEY ON SIDE.
Good store building and 4-room cottage now occupied under lease, paying better than 6 per cent., net; fine location for business, and best buy on the street; only 1½ blocks from HAUSER'S BIG PACKING PLANT.
I have option and can guarantee delivery.
THEO. G. FITCH, 325 W. Fourth st. 24

FOR SALE—
CHOICE WAREHOUSE PROPERTY CHEAP.
$1450—
60x146 WITH R.R. SPUR.
Sole Agents, CONWAY & KESSLER,
405 Laughlin Bldg. 24

FOR SALE—134x180, ON WEST SIDE OF Grand ave., just south of Pico st., with 10-room house; price $250 a front foot; also 41x167 on Grand ave., near 19th st., at $400 a front foot, and a lot 60x132 on Grand ave., near 37th; price $2000. Also, 50x150 on Arlington ave., near Jefferson; price $1,500. A bargain. T. A. HUTCHINSON, 237 S. Broadway, room 201. 24

FOR SALE—
WAREHOUSE SITE.
132x140 with Santa Fe spur in front. Three houses with income of $41 per month. Price $3500. This is close to 7th and is a gift for someone. Apply to
Manufacturing and Warehouse Dept.,
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 West Third st. 25

FOR SALE—
$7800.
66x110, right at 7th and Ceres ave., improved with 2 houses, cheapest piece in that whole section and will sell for $10,000 in 6 months.
F. M. PHELPS & CO.,
25 215 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE—BIGGEST SNAP ON LOS ANgeles st., near Washington, on west side, just back of property that is selling for $300 to $1000 a front foot. $2500 buys this big lot 81x152½; it will be worth $5000 in 6 months; this is a bargain and you must hurry it is good for a few days only at this price; terms. SPARKMAN & PARIA, 329 Merchants' Trust Bldg. Phone Home 3165. 24

FOR SALE—
MANUFACTURING SITE, 6 ACRES.
Both

Classified Liners.

FOR SALE— Country Property. Lemons and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL OF THE BEST IN-

WHITE & M'CUNE, head-

FOR SALE—INCOME ORANGE GROVE

FOR SALE—SEVERAL OF THE BEST IN-

WHITE & M'CUNE, head-

FOR SALE—INCOME ORANGE GROVE,

FOR SALE—ALFALFA LAND—

ELECTRIC CAR LINE,

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$1750—Only for 10 acres in full bearing vineyard; all fine land, 11 miles from town.

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FOR SALE — I HAVE ABOUT 600 ACRES left on or near Redondo electric line, now ready for subdividing into lots or 1 to 5-acre tracts; plenty water; prices from $200 to $300 per acre. See me today; this land is selling very fast. FREDERICK H. KINGMAN, 224 S. Broadway, next to City Hall.

FOR SALE—FOR INVESTMENT AND TO subdivide soon, 22 acres on Sierra Madre electric, near Colorado st., $15,000, or in what surrounding property is held for. BRITTON & HART, 2 W. Colorado, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—$1650; 1/2 ACRE, FENCED, 25 young fruit trees, California 4 rooms; 22 minutes, 7 cents; $500 down, balance time. See this; short line to Mission, east to Garfield, South Pasadena. JOHNSON.

FOR SALE—$7000; 20 ACRES PARTLY IMproved, about one and one-quarter miles from electric car at San Gabriel Mission; this is $350 per acre; will sell 10 acres. WM. N. HOLWAY, 211 Grant Bldg.

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FOR SALE—7½ ACRES, MODERN HOUSE, beautifully located at Santa Barbara, cost $12,000; $10,000 takes it; easy terms; owner gone away. H. G. CHASE, Santa Barbara.

FOR SALE—SIERRA MADRE LOTS, CENtrally located; 1 lot, $425; 2 lots, $825; 4 lots, $1600; 4 lots and house, $1700. Address owner, MISS M. BRANDT, Claremont, Cal.

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7-CENT CAR FARE.
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$3000 for fine new 9-room house on corner of beautiful streets; 200x196-foot lot; set to bearing oranges.

$1250 for the choicest new cottage, on 50x150 lot, in fine neighborhood; this is something worth while.

$375 for 50x150-foot lots on street with all improvements, in finest part of city.

$300—Only two lots at this price, with all street improvements and sewer, on boulevard; choice location.

Two exchanges for Los Angeles improved that are worth while; one eight acres of oranges, ½ Valencias, ¼ navels, in a neighborhood of fine homes; crop worth $2500; brought that last year. For an investment or home is first class.

The other is a beautiful new home, with 3 acres of land, beautiful trees, ornamental and fruit; a gentleman's home.

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

One choice corner, 80 feet, at a bargain price. Nothing less than $30 a foot more than price of this. A day or two will sell it.

Get free tickets at Los Angeles office, HOLT & STANTON, 114 S. Broadway, and see

NORTHRUP & PECK,
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FOR SALE—

FOR QUICK BUYERS.

2 finely located lots on one of our best drives —only two left—50x120—Think of the size, nearly an acre. In view of the Raymond Hotel and the glorious mountains. Near schools and electric line, $1500 to $2000 an acre is what property sells at in that locality. These are only $800 a lot. Will be gone in a day or two at this price.

FOR EXCHANGE.

Fine new house on beautiful drive, four acres set to full bearing oranges in fine condition. A choice property for Los Angeles improved.

Three lots on Garfield avenue, all street work done and sewer in, small house; near car line and school. First-class exchange for Los Angeles.

BUSINESS CHANCE.

$6 feet on choice corner with neat home, good rental value or for home. But remember business corners are scarce and the price of this is a bargain.

50 feet on Main street with house that will pay interest on the whole investment and the property steadily increasing. For a wise man this is the cream of buys.

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FOR SALE—CLOSE IN, NEAR CAR LINE, new 6 room 2 story modern house, with one acre, level, choice fruit trees, barn, sheds fenced, walks, driveways, fruits and flowers. I built this for my home, cause of selling interests elsewhere, price $3100, 1-3 cash. See my agent.

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10 fine lots, 50x150 feet, in a bunch at $250; if sold at once.

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FOR SALE—

STOP—QUICK.

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We are authorities on acreage in Eagle Rock, and can deliver several pieces at original prices; we advise immediate action.

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EDWARDS & WINTERS, L.A.R.B.,
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FOR SALE—15 ACRES OF THE MOST land in the Eagle Rock Valley, only one mile from the city limits, good 6 room house and barn, pumping plant with all the water you can use, 25,000 gallon water tank, every thing fixed for irrigating, the new Eagle Rock and Verdugo Rock car line goes within 200 feet of the property; option secured before the increase in prices, and can deliver at a very low figure if taken soon; terms to suit; if this don't suit, we have others. HEFFNER, with R. G. Doyle & Co., 146 S. Broadway. 501 Frost Bldg.

GLENDALE

FOR SALE — HOUSES AND ACRES AT charming Glendale, at reasonable and profitable prices for quick buyers; SEE US for real bargains. WE HAVE what you want in lots, acres, residences. LOGAN & PARKER, 133 S. Broadway. CUT THIS OUT.

ALTADENA.

FOR SALE—SOME OF THE FINEST BUILDing sites in Altadena, near car line and handsome residences; magnificent for a beautiful suburban home. L. M. PRATT, 605 Laughlin Bldg., or Altadena office, at end of car line.

PASADENA.

FOR SALE—
WE WILL DELIVER THIS WEEK
one of the finest pieces of acreage, northeast of Pasadena; a little over 12 acres, well improved; is a prominent corner; car line to run in front of the place within sixty days; a rare chance for a fine purchase; price low; terms unusually good.

Owner, SCHLEICHER, Robert Marsh & Co., H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WHITTIER.

FOR SALE—

"Homes that pay."

$5000—16 acres in walnuts and alfalfa; electric car right by place; good buildings; abundance water; best buy in this section.

Have a big list of property near Whittier. Call and see us before buying.

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Tels. Home 7310. Main 1044.

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BEAUTIFUL GLORIETTA TRACT, HOLLYWOOD.

Only 25 minutes' ride from the city; take Hollywood cars to Prospect and Willard or Glorietta aves., commutation fare 6 2-3c. Lots 80x125 and 70x150; $900 and up; terms 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months; building restrictions, $2000, $2500 and $3000; all street improvements made and paid for. Trees and palms potted; branch office on the tract; Home Phone 59238.

CROAKE & M'CANN, 235 Douglas Bldg.
Phones—Main 5459; Home 1812.

FOR SALE—IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE us before buying in Hollywood; we have a large list of choice vacant and improved property to select from; also a few furnished residences. Special attention given in locating strangers satisfactorily. W. C. CAMPBELL & CO., opposite Hotel Hollywood.

FOR SALE—
A BEAUTIFUL HOME.

One of the choicest places in Hollywood; 9-room, modern house; completely furnished; 5 bedrooms and outside house for help; commanding site; fine trees, shrubbery, and flowers; very large corner lot, central location; an ideal home; price $15,000. See W. C. CAMPBELL & CO., opposite Hotel Hollywood.

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Three magnificent lots and house.
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$5500.

½ of what adjoining property which will be advertised Sunday, will sell for.

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$700; 50 front lot.
On 50-foot boulevard, facing east.
This price for five days only.
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FOR SALE — ONE OF THE LOVELIEST homes in aristocratic Hollywood, $6500; 7 rooms, modern conveniences; hardwood finish; house 3 months old. Address R, box 54, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — LITTLE OVER 2 ACRES IN heart of Hollywood, for $3500 cash; must be sold. Address R, box 53, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—4 ACRES IN LOVELY HOLLYwood for $7000; easy terms; has to be sold. Address R, box 57, TIMES OFFICE.

MONROVIA.

FOR SALE—"Homes that pay."

$5000 buys a beautiful home near Monrovia; 5 acres in bearing oranges, 5 acres suitable for gardening and poultry, new, modern 7-room cottage, barn, chicken-houses, abundance water.

$3000—1¾ acres in Monrovia, good house and barn; orange and lemon trees, flowers, fine location.

BOGARDUS & NASON,
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SAN GABRIEL

FOR SALE—
5-acre home, snug house, fruit, Jersey cows, fresh, 1 horse, 50 laying hens, 4 wagons, farming tools, abundance of water, $3800, for one week only.

5-acre home tract, $225 per acre, abundance of water.

20-acre ranch under perfect state of cultivation, 8-room modern house, $10,000.

10-acre walnut ranch, a splendid water right, trees 11 years old, only $4500, terms.

4 acres good land close to car line, $2400, a good investment.

Call and see us and we will show you the land.

SAN GABRIEL REALTY CO., San Gabriel, Cal.

TROPICO.

FOR SALE—3½ ACRES, RIGHT IN TROPico; price $2350, spot; home, barn, fruits, berries, charming place; finest soil; near cars. EZRA F. PARKER, 138 S. Broadway. Selling suburban home a specialty. CUT THIS OUT SURE.

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24 Opposite Depot Playa del Rey.

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To VENICE and OCEAN PARK to all PURCHASERS of property through us. Bring this with you. ROBBINS REALTY CO.,
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FOR SALE—HUNTINGTON BEACH, 11 lots at $150 each. This is absolutely 50 per cent. below value, can't help but make on these. A handsome profit before the summer is over. THOMSON REALTY CO., 215 Los Angeles Trust Bldg., Second and Spring. Main 2684. Home 2023.

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LOST — LARGE WHITE BULLDOG, SPIKE collar, stub tail, large red scar on forehead; carry chewing gum. JAMES BEAVO, caretaker for Arthur Letts, East Hollywood. 24

LOST—THURSDAY MORNING ON ARCADE Depot car or on street, lady's handbag, containing $135 and a Howard watch; will pay a very liberal reward if returned to F. J. FLEMING, Hotel Golden State. 24

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LOST — YESTERDAY, FORESTERS OF America badge; has my name on front. Finder please and receive reward. 643A TIANO, 605 New High st. 26

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WATCHES SURGEONS AMPUTATE HIS LEG.

MARTIN MALONEY, aged 70 years, was struck and fatally injured by Maple avenue car No. [illegible] opposite No. 369 North Main street, last night. Maloney was removed to the Receiving Hospital horribly mangled.

Little is known of Mr. Maloney in the city. The papers which he carried on his person at the time of the accident give meager information of his occupation or residence.

When placed on the operating table in the Receiving Hospital he was partly conscious, and conversed with the surgeons regarding the operation to be performed upon him. Both legs were mangled. The right limb was amputated, and meanwhile Maloney looked on and gave apparently no indication that he was suffering. No anaesthetic was administered, Maloney exhibiting the most wonderful vitality and fortitude.

When asked if he believed he was going to die he replied with a mixture of epithets which brooded no misunderstanding, that he was going to live and recover the use of his legs. Maloney at no time fully realized the seriousness of his case.

It is believed the man came here recently from Tucson, Ariz., but it is not known where he has resided during his stay in this city.

Maloney was attempting to board the Maple-avenue car, it is said, and slipped beneath the wheels.

U.S.C. VICTORIOUS.

Methodist College Wins the Third Intercollegiate Debate With University of Pacific.

Victory graced the banners of U.S.C. last night in the third intercollegiate debate between the University of Pacific and the University of Southern California. U.P. upheld the affirmative and U.S.C. the negative of the resolution that the United States should further restrict immigration by an educational qualification, namely, the immigrant to be able to read or write forty-five lines of the American Constitution, either in his native or in the English language, said restriction not to apply to minors.

After the invocation by Dr. E. A. Healy and a piano solo by Miss Lillian Ernest, W. D. Carnes introduced the speakers. Ralph Kuykendall opened in affirmative, stating the conditions for making his argument along industrial lines. E. R. Garcia followed for U.S.C., denying the need for restriction. Owen C. Coy continued the case for U.P., showing the political, social and educational basis of the demand for restriction. The debate proper was closed by Kemper B. Campbell of U.S.C., who attacked the proposed remedy, and advocated if any restriction were needed, a system of inspection in Europe by our consular agents.

After rebuttal arguments, the judges retired, and in the interlude Miss Eunice Montgomery sang "All Through the Night" and "To Thy Beaming Eyes."

Rev. Will A. Harris delivered the decision of himself and his confreres, J. M. Francis and T. J. Phillips. It was not by a divided court that U.S.C. gained the victory. While U.P. had the best of the question that restriction was needed, they were hampered by the form they advocated, which was easily attacked by the U.S.C. speakers.

Simpson Auditorium was decorated with college colors, and a college crowd graced the speakers. Each college had its one debate, and that, coupled with the fact that the men of the teams had met each other before, aroused enthusiasm.

INDIANA COAL MERGER.

Operators Propose a Fifty-Million-Dollar Combine in the Bituminous Fields.

[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Consolidation of all Indiana properties not now controlled by Pittsburg interests and large mines in Illinois, is the plan discussed by operators here and in the East. The proposed merger, if completed, will be a $50,000,000 company, and the result of a combination in the bituminous field, similar in many respects to that now existing in the anthracite fields.

It is said that the Dering Coal Company, which recently was consolidated with the Consolidated Indiana Company, will be the nucleus of the new operating and selling corporation. Interests now affiliated with those controlling the Indiana properties are reported back of this latest move to place the enormous coal business on a solid foundation, eliminating many expenses now caused by numerous selling agencies and the competition for business between the various companies.

Properties mentioned in connection with the business deal are the Dering Coal Consolidated, with affiliated properties, the Freeman and Dickinson companies, the Kelly, Kolsem and Tally properties, and the Indiana Southern, or Black properties, which represent about a capacity of about four thousand tons a day.

BIGELOW GOING BACK.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Every berth on the Mediterranean of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's service was taken today, and the Virginia, of the Hamburg American line's Atlas service, was hopelessly filled. Most of the Virginia's passengers are booked for Colombo. Among these is Poultney Bigelow, who said he was going down to the Canal prepared to make as long and as thorough investigation of conditions in the canal zone as the most critical Cabinet minister could wish. "I am going down to do Secretary Taft a service," said Bigelow, "and I am going to search for the truth, if I have to go to the bottom of the well for it."

HOST NOVEL AUTOMOBILE.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Times correspondent was shown today at an exhibition of what is considered by experts as the most novel automobile ever seen in this country. It is the invention of an Italian named Pescatore, and its name "Auto-Mixte," briefly gives an idea of its character, as a mixture of petrol and electricity provides the motive power. A single lever and a solitary pedal are all the mechanical details which the driver is required to watch. The machine climbs hills with as little difficulty as on level ground.

CALIFORNIAN WEDS SECRETLY.

LYNN (Mass.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Announcement was made today of the secret marriage of Miss Edwin Hudson of Karsdale, N. S., to Roger Williams, manager of the Casino Palace of this city, and son of a wealthy California cattle-ranch owner. The marriage was performed by Rev. George Grose, pastor of the First Methodist Church here, and he was requested to keep the news from the public. Today the couple decided they would begin housekeeping.

KING GEORGE TO ABDICATE.

ROME, Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A rumor is current here that King George of Greece intends to abdicate in favor of his eldest son, and will reside in Paris.

CHARGES AGAINST A SOLON.

SIOUX CITY (Iowa) Feb. 22.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reversal by the Supreme Court of Nebraska of the libel case against prominent residents of Northwest Nebraska promises to again stir in a revival of the scandal growing out of the sensational charge of libel against Congressman J. J. McCarthy of Ponca. Word was received by T. G. Sheibley of Ponca that his cases each for $6000 against J. Bullen, secretary to Congressman McCarthy, W. N. Huse, editor of the Norfolk News, and Editor Nelson, formerly of the Hartington Herald, but now of Canton, S. D., decided for defendants in the lower courts, have been revised. These cases had originated in an unsavory scandal, involving Congressman McCarthy during the campaign in the Eighth District against Robinson.

MIZNER'S COMPROMISE.

It is Alleged He Will Take Twenty Thousand Dollars in Lieu of a Reconciliation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The statement is made here that after beseeching and imploring his bride with impassioned earnestness, by telephone and in person, daily for almost a week, to forgive his desertion of her, following his outburst of temper over her refusal to settle $1,000,000 on him, Wilson Mizner today, it is reported, abandoned all hope of being reconciled to the former widow of Charles T. Yerkes, the Traction magnate, and, it is alleged, agreed to a formal separation in consideration of the sum of $20,000.

Mizner, it is understood, will either go back to California or to his Mexico mines.

MYSTERIOUS TOURIST JAILED.

VALENCIA (Spain) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A sensational arrest has been made here of a mysterious personage who has masqueraded over all Spain during the last ten months as "a distinguished tourist," a "British naval officer," a "staff captain," a "household officer of King Edward," an "adjutant and friend of Prince Alexander of Battenberg," and even as the Prince himself. When compelled to "stand and deliver" his credentials and justify his aristocratic pretensions, he proved to be a Gibraltar Hebrew, extremely insinuating and persuasive in nine languages. He has been consigned to a narrow cell in the new model prison.

DENIES PAPAL INTERVIEW.

ROME, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Through the Osservatore Romano, its official organ, the Vatican denies the alleged interview of the Pope published in the London Daily Express on the French separation law. It states that the Pope has received no journalist, and has not made to any one the declarations attributed to him by the London paper.

BIG FIRE IN JAPAN.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Tokio says that fire in the town of Taira, sixty miles southeast of Fukushima, destroyed six hundred houses, and caused the death of thirty-seven persons.

A Series of Talks on Prevalent Diseases

By a Doctor of Philosophy.

With the hope of benefiting newspaper readers, it is our purpose to give in these columns, from time to time, a series of talks on prevalent diseases—brief and clear descriptions or pen pictures of various diseases of the breathing organs—the nose, throat, bronchial tubes, lungs and vital organs—as nine out of ten of every person you meet are afflicted more or less seriously with them in one form or another.

If you have suffered with colds, coughs, pain in the chest, sleeplessness, nervousness, or have a body weak, emaciated, pale, racked with pain on account of the ravages of these diseases, you will be interested in these heart to heart talks. Watch for them! Read them! They may be the means of saving your own life or that of a friend.

Although this is a simple announcement of the series of talks, it may be well to call attention to Dr. Acker's English Remedy. On account of the reputation of this famous English specialist, inquiry has been made into its merits, and it has been found that Dr. Acker's English Remedy has performed some of the most wonderful cures, including the most severe cases of coughs, colds, asthma, catarrh and consumption, and while ordinarily one might be skeptical concerning proprietary remedies, yet the great volume of grateful letters which the proprietors have received from prominent persons all over this country and Europe, who have been actually cured, and the immense sales this remedy has, have been thoroughly convincing of its efficacy, and it is pronounced a truly wonderful and meritorious medicine, and it is believed that readers are being done a favor in calling attention to Dr. Acker's English Remedy for all throat and lung affections, especially so since it has stood the test of the British government and does not contain opium, nor is it an alcoholic preparation. It is absolutely harmless, and since the proprietors are so honest and fair in their dealings with the suffering that they positively do not want your money if it does not benefit you. You can buy Dr. Acker's famous English Remedy from your druggist (it is sold by all leading druggists) and if it does not benefit you the druggist is requested to give you back your money without question or delay and charge the amount to the proprietors. You alone are to be the judge in the matter.

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[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX, Feb. 22.—Now that the government and the Arizona Canal bondholders have reached an agreement upon the north-side canals, only adjustment of the value of the minority holdings will delay turning over the entire system to the Geological Survey. It is feared that this will prove a matter of months, as many petty interests will have to be reconciled. There is no doubt that a magnificent site for the $300,000 diversion dam has been found, bedrock being in granite at a maximum depth of only seventeen feet.

The land in the vicinity has been withdrawn from entry. At the new head exist excellent facilities and the best material for the manufacture of Portland cement, such as is now being produced at Roosevelt. Theodore Hapke, constructor of the Glendale beet-sugar factory, states that the enterprise will be in full operation by June 1, employing 250 men, and with a crop to handle estimated at 50,000 tons. F. Treskow of Menominee, Mich., has been engaged as superintendent.

WILL RUSH NEW LINE.

That the Southern Pacific is in earnest in its project to connect Central Arizona with Southwestern Colorado and its coal fields is shown by an interview in Colorado with C. C. Stoufe, chief engineer of the Arizona and Colorado Railroad Company. He stated emphatically that all was in readiness for the building of a line from Durango to a connection with the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern road, at or near Globe. From the Gila Valley road, branches off the line now being built through the river cañon, headed for Phoenix. It is understood that as soon as negotiations with the Santa Fé, now in progress, are completed, traffic rights will have been secured over the Santa Fé from Winkelman to Tempe, thus providing the Southern Pacific an alternative track from Bowie to Maricopa when the cañon work shall have been finished. The Gila Valley and Maricopa roads are being put in the best of condition.

PHOENIX GENERAL NEWS.

Alexander Potter of New York has been selected by the Phoenix Water Works Commission to supervise the installation of the new municipal waterworks system. He will receive $8250 for the work.

In a general row in the Apache Indian camp above Roosevelt, a few days ago, six Indians were more or less injured by bullet wounds and knife cuts, and one killed by Ranger Holmes. The trouble was over a squaw who had been wooed by another than her own dusky chieftain, all parties being loaded with firewater. Engineer Hill does about all that can be done to keep liquor out of the camp, but Mexican "bootleggers," attracted by the high prices they can secure for the vilest of whisky, manage to evade the vigilance of the authorities.

The First National Bank of Wickenburg has been organized and will open for business within a few weeks. Its stock is mainly held in Wickenburg, local capitalists having contributed the capital of $20,000.

It is probable that a spring racing circuit will be started at Phoenix in April, running through to Denver by way of El Paso, Albuquerque and Pueblo. A number of fast racers still remain in winter quarters at the Phoenix fair grounds.

Deep sorrow is expressed in Phoenix over the death at Montebello, Cal., of Prof. A. J. McClatchie. For years he had lived in Phoenix, in charge of the university's agricultural experimental station work in Arizona. He was a botanist and scientist of rare attainments and ability and did much toward determining relative values of the agricultural and horticultural products of the Southwest. His best-known work is one on the eucalyptus, published by the Agricultural Department. Prof. McClatchie and family have been residents of Southern California for nearly two years, the change from Arizona having been made in the hope of benefit to his health.

Charles H. Kenyon, since 1864 a resident of Arizona, and since 1880 of Globe, died last week, aged 64. In 1868 he assisted in the digging of the first irrigation ditch in the Salt River Valley.

John Gilman died at the Territorial Insane Asylum. A prominent cattleman of Willcox, he went insane at Tucson a couple of months ago and was found after four days' wanderings on the desert, nearly dead from cold and exposure, hunger and thirst.

In Graham county the Board of Supervisors found 153 taxpayers claiming exemption from taxation on the ground of widowhood. The number seemed unduly large. On investigation it was found that many of the widows were of the "grass" variety and the list of exemptions was cut down to forty-four.

THROUGH MINING LANDS.

ROAD PAYS WELL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PRESCOTT, Feb. 22.—The new Bradshaw Mountain Railway already is a revenue producer for the Santa Fé system. It climbs into the Bradshaw range by means of five scenic "switchbacks," maintaining an average grade of 3½ per cent. In this manner is surmounted a difference in elevation of 2500 feet in a direct line of nine miles. Every mile of the road is through a richly-mineralized country, from which thousands of tons of ore are going down to the new Humboldt smelter.

HOTEL AT ASH FORK.

Work has been commenced upon the new Harvey House at Ash Fork. The building will cost $150,000 and is to be completed within seven months. It will be in mission style, largely built of cement, of which fifty carloads are on the ground now. The hotel will be about a quarter of a mile west of the site of the old house, which may move with it the business street of Ash Fork.

PRESCOTT NOTES.

Travel over the Grand Cañon line from Williams is averaging more than fifty tourists a day each way, the heaviest travel the line ever has known.

It has been found that the new contract entered into by the Board of Supervisors of Coconino county for the lease of Bright Angel trail into the Grand Cañon, gives that thoroughfare over to L. L. Ferrall without bond as well as without rental.

The rails are now through the only tunnel on the Arizona and California Railroad and graders and bridge gangs are being rushed toward the Colorado. The next town to be laid out on the road, in northern Yuma county, has been named Goldenola, after a contest in which thousands of names were submitted. The prize winner was County School Superintendent Jolly of Prescott. Other contestants who received favorable mention were L. M. Blankenhorn, Mrs. H. W. Crozier, Mrs. J. K. Pennington of Los Angeles, Wm. Mitchell of Glendale, and Mrs. M. E. Wright of Toluca.

J. B. Hoover, A. C. Cordiner, Philip Pecharich and Charles Hooker, gamblers of Jerome, arrested for alleged maintaining of games of chance against the provisions of a town ordinance, have sued the town of Jerome for $10,000 damages each, for false imprisonment. Defendants were released under habeas corpus writ brought before the District Court in Prescott.

When the contract expired of William Thomas, superintendent of the Yavapai County Hospital, he proceeded to gather up and take away all the bedding of the institution, as well as the stoves and much of the furniture, leaving the sick inmates on the floor, in freezing weather. The fact that the property belonged to him seemed all the justification necessary for Thomas, but his action has been denounced by the County Supervisors as most inhuman.

E. E. Ellinwood has resigned the place of District Attorney of Yavapai county and will enter into partnership with Col. William Herring, with offices at Bisbee. Col. Herring for years has been general counsel for the Copper Queen Company, as well as for the varied mining and railroad interests of the Phelps-Dodge Company. Mr. Ellinwood is chairman of the Territorial Democratic Central Committee and was United States Attorney for Arizona during the last Cleveland administration.

Three residents of Williams have returned after a trip of several months into the Colorado desert, where they searched for the long-lost "Peg Leg" mine that has lured so many miners to their deaths. The Arizonans have come back fully convinced that the treasure has been covered by the rise of Salton Sea. They are sure they struck the right section of the country, having private information, as is general among the searchers. In the foothills near the northern edge of the sea they found some good-looking gold claims, which they located and intend to develop.

The Lowell Observatory at Flagstaff had been put into shape for observation of the lunar eclipse, but the astronomers were disappointed by a blanketing of the moon by heavy clouds.

Charles Howard, a well-known and prosperous sheep-owner of Ash Fork is on the war-path looking for the man who has been making of him the hero of Owen Wister's story, "The Virginian." He barely knows Wister and declares that the tales published of his own exploits in Arizona are glittering prevarications, probably emanating from a waggish Flagstaff lumberman.

President Murphy of the Santa Fé Prescott and Phoenix Railway system has returned from Washington, where he has been fighting joint Statehood. He characterizes the Littlefield bill, which prohibits gambling in the Territories, as having been "dishonestly conceived," and asks why its terms should not also cover the District of Columbia, where Speaker Cannon has local celebrity as a poker player.

BIG SALES ON MAIN.

Two Parcels of Real Estate Command High Prices from Local Investment Buyers.

W. B. Merwin and R. A. Rowan have sold for T. L. MacAllister to a syndicate of local investors a lot 57x140 feet on the east side of Main street, sixty feet north of Sixth, at $135,000. There is a good one-story brick building on the lot estimated to be worth about $8000. This leaves $127,000 for the bare ground, or a little more than $3000 a foot.

The same firm, aided by Mines & Farish, has sold to F. O. Johnson for Robert Marsh, Strong & Dickinson and others, a lot on the west side of Main, opposite the Pacific Electric building, or just south of Sixth street, 60x150 feet, to an alley, for $120,000. There is a one-story brick building on this of little value, but it is leased for a term of years, which will prevent improving the property. This piece is at the rate of $2000 a foot for the property.

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The dinner has become immensely popular not only with the people at large and with the members of the churches of the diocese but with the clergy, and the secret of his hold on everybody with whom he comes in contact has been a matter of general remark. He is first of all a Christian gentleman.

Rev. Henderson Judd, registrar of the diocese, made this the subject of his after-dinner talk, and announced that the secret of the bishop's hold upon the affections of the people was that he was always in for a "square deal." When he first came to Los Angeles Bishop Johnson discussed the situation with the registrar, and finding his diocese made up of Episcopalians from the four quarters of the globe, and of every degree of "high," "low" or "broad," according to the views of the other fellow, he announced his platform to Mr. Judd:

"There is one thing I have determined upon," said the bishop, "and that is, that every parish, every rector, every man, woman and child of this diocese shall have a square deal."

And there is not one of them who will not aver that they have had just what he promised, and whatever grade of churchmanship any clergyman may claim for himself, he has never found the bishop more cordial to another brother than to himself.

When Bishop Johnson arrived on his field of action, ten years ago, he found thirty-six clergymen and 3600 communicants; the latest report of the diocese shows fifty-nine clergymen and 5900 communicants.

In the Sunday-school mission yesterday afternoon the bishop demonstrated to a large audience by the use of maps of California and of the city of Los Angeles, what the bounds of his territory are, and what has been accomplished during the ten years. Among other things, he had the original five congregations in the city indicated by large red stickers, while smaller ones showed that the number has now been increased to fourteen, with locations chosen for five more.

The bishop and a number of clergymen made addresses designed to inspire the audience, which was made up entirely of members of the Sunday-schools of the diocese, into greater activity for missions. Each hearer was instructed to carry the work back into the individual school.

Bishop Johnson has sent invitations to a number of persons specially interested in the subject to meet him at the Pro-Cathedral on next Friday evening at 8 o'clock to discuss questions concerning the California Indians.

ST. PAUL'S BAZAAR.

The Altar Guild of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral will hold a handkerchief and apron sale in the parlors of the Angelus Hotel this afternoon from 2 o'clock until 10. The young women having the matter in charge are prominent in church and social circles, and their annual bazaars are affairs of much interest. Following is the Reception Committee: Mmes. Joseph H. Johnson, J. J. Wilkins, H. T. Lee, John Wigmore, Edgar Palmer, A. A. Talmage, J. H. McCulloch, Walter Carnes, W. G. Barnwell, E. J. Marshall, Alfred Cooper, E. A. Curtis, B. Hatch, Josephine Butler, Frank W. King, C. B. Boothe, C. D. Viele, Miss Crissey McLemore, who has charge of fancy aprons, has as her assistants, Misses Blanche De Longpré, Alice Hill, Florence Moore and Ray Johnson; assisting Miss Mabelle Hatch in the sale of pillows are Miss Viola Curtis and Miss Lilian Moore; at the candy table with Miss Pauline Dunlop are Mrs. J. R. Vansant and Misses Lulu Curtis and Ethel Wyatt; aprons, Misses Katharine Miltmore, Frances Dodge and Florence Marriott; flowers, Misses Emily Washburne, Miss Lucile Dixon, Miss Jessie Weimer; handkerchiefs, Miss Mary Belle Elliott, Miss Sarah Weeks; fancy bags, Miss Sarah Boothe, Miss Edith Minor. The sale is open to the public and a cordial invitation to attend is extended to all.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

COULDN'T GET IN FEDERATION.

Dr. Samuel A. Eliot of Boston, president of the American Unitarian Association, and a son of President Eliot of Harvard, will preach in the Church of the Unity tomorrow morning. Dr. Eliot was sent as a delegate to the national federation of churches at New York, but was denied admission on the ground that Unitarians are not Christians.

The new South Main Street Christian Church has now erected a tenthouse at the corner of Main and Confidence streets, and the pastor, Rev. E. H. Kellar, will hold regular services there tomorrow.

"Good Tidings From the National Capital" will be the subject of an address in the First Congregational Church this evening, by Rev. O. R. Miller, the "reform legislation" man. He will speak at the Y.M.C.A. in the afternoon on "Traps, and How to Smash Them."

Miss Edith Conde of Huntington Hall will address the vesper service in the Young Women's Christian Association at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

CATHOLIC RIOTERS SOUSED.

PARIS, Feb. 23.—The authorities, assisted by the police, took the inventories of twenty churches today, amid manifestations. Many barricaded doors were broken down and firemen drove out the manifestants by playing water upon them. Four arrests were made.

INVESTIGATE OHIO COUNTIES.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23.—The Drake investigating committee appointed by the Ohio Senate to investigate the affairs of Cincinnati and Hamilton counties, began its sessions today. The county treasurers was first taken up. Guy M. Mallon, formerly president of the Cincinnati Trust Company, of which George B. Cox is now the head, was the first witness.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Sons of the Revolution.

The California Society, Sons of the Revolution, will hold a banquet tonight at the Jonathan Club. Henry H. Sinclair will be toastmaster and responses will be made by Rev. Baker P. Lee, Nathan Cole, Jr., and Gen. Frank Prestott.

Jewish Purim Ball.

The Jewish congregation Beth Israel will give a masquerade Purim ball in Adams Hall, South Main street, on March 11, and a special committee of ladies has been appointed to take charge and make arrangements for the ball.

Gospel Temperance.

"Who Shall Separate Us?" will be the subject of Francis Murphy's talk at Blanchard Hall on Sunday evening. Miss York and little Annie Row will sing. Murphy will hold a noon prayer meeting in the same hall every day during next week.

Adams Street Lots Sold.

John T. Griffith Company reports the sale by Ezra L. Hoyle to George D. Howland of a lot 125x150 feet, improved with a modern, eight-room house, No. 127 West Adams street, for $9500. The lot is situated about 275 feet west of Main street, on the north side of Adams.

For the Veterans.

Judge Wilbur will address the veterans at the Soldiers' Home this afternoon at 1:30. This meeting is under the direction of the Christian Temperance Union, of which Rev. J. R. Sloane is vice-president. Miss Barber and Miss Butcher will sing and Miss Glihousen will recite.

Wedding Bells.

A dispatch to The Times from Cincinnati announces the marriage of Mrs. Edna Tinker Gruwell of Los Angeles to Dr. H. G. Marz-Miller of Newport, Ky. The couple went to Buffington, Ind., on Thursday and were married. After the ceremony they returned to Cincinnati. The bride is well known in musical circles in this city.

Fight in a Joint.

Scott M. Lee, No. 1319 West Fourth street, was sent to the Receiving Hospital last night suffering from bruises and lacerations received in an altercation at Jim's Chowder House on East Second street. His injuries were dressed by the police surgeons and he was removed to his home. This "chowder house" is a joint which has caused a lot of trouble.

Boys Trouble a Negro.

William Bradley, an aged negro living at No. 1123 Angeleno street, complained to the police last night that he was molested by a crowd of boys who persisted in throwing stones at him while he was working near his home. Bradley gave the names of several boys who, he alleges, are responsible for the attacks, and will try to get a warrant for their arrest this morning.

Gen. McCaskey Ill Here.

Brig.-Gen. William S. McCaskey, U. S. A., is lying seriously ill at the Lankershim, where he has been for several days with his wife. At the hotel last night it was stated that the general was resting well. He denied himself to all callers. Maj.-Gen. Lloyd Wheaton of Chicago called and left his card. It is stated that Gen. McCaskey's illness is due to general debility and to a cold contracted en route to this city.

Crushed to Death.

G. A. Tiwaki, aged 38, was crushed to death between two cars in La Grande Station yesterday morning. He was a polisher employed by the Santa Fé Company, and was at work between the cars when a freight engine, the engineer of which did not know of the Jap's presence, backed into the string of cars to move them. The body was removed to Bresee's morgue, where an inquest will be held. Tiwaki lived at No. 1320 Palmetto street.

Auto Hits Parson.

Rev. Timothy Tetreault was knocked down and run over by an automobile as he was attempting to cross Broadway at Fifth street yesterday morning. The wheels of the car passed over his left leg. The machine was occupied by two men and two women. The car was not stopped after the collision. Rev. Tetreault is pastor of the French Baptist Mission at No. 127 North Anderson street. Eye-witnesses say the number of the machine which ran him down was 3755.

Dr. Risdon's Death.

News has reached Los Angeles of the death in Oakland of a former well-known practitioner in this city, Dr. C. A. Risdon, who expired at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Ward, No. 1083 Clay street, Oakland. Dr. Risdon was 75 years of age, and was one of the early woman practitioners in the Homoeopathic School of Medicine. She was a graduate from a Chicago medical college, and practiced in Los Angeles for four years. She also had an extensive acquaintance in Long Beach.

Virile "Ad."

What an "ad." will do was demonstrated yesterday by John H. Blackwood, manager of the Belasco Theater. Blackwood inserted a line in The Times, offering a pair of tickets to each of the first six persons sending in a correct pronunciation of the word "Crichton." Up to 6 o'clock last evening a scant twelve hours after the appearance of the advertisement, the manager has received nearly 2000 letters, and tardy envelopes in after the stated hour more than made up the amount.

Dan Walsh's Affliction.

While talking with his wife and a friend in his home at No. 3026 Halldale street, Thursday night, Dan P. Walsh of the realty company of that name suddenly lost his mind. In the fear that he would become violent a request was sent for the police ambulance and the man was taken to the Receiving Hospital. Yesterday morning he was removed to the Sierra Madre Sanitarium. Of late Mr. Walsh has been working beyond his strength. The attending physicians diagnose the case as a complete nervous breakdown.

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PERSONALS.

James Brady, accompanied by his wife and daughter of Chicago, arrived yesterday and will spend March at the Lankershim.

Mrs. A. Goldberg of San Francisco is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Alfred, No. 946 Vermont avenue. She will leave for New York about April 1.

Frank E. Walsh, who has been convalescing at Arrowhead Hot Springs since his recent serious illness, returned yesterday so much improved in health that he expects to return to business within a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Watmough of Philadelphia, who arrived in this city yesterday in their private car, Plymouth Rock, over the Santa Fé, are registered at the Lankershim. W. H. Zehender, an assistant to President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania Railroad, is in personal charge of the car. The party will continue on a tour of the Pacific Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph K. Cass and daughter, Miss Margaret Cass, and Miss Cass, a sister of Mr. Cass, and John G. Anderson of Tyrone, Pa., are guests at the Westminster Hotel. Mr. Cass and Mr. Anderson are representative business men of Central Pennsylvania, the former being president of the Morrison-Cass Paper Company, and also president of the First National Bank of Tyrone; Mr. Anderson is treasurer of the paper concern, and on the directorate of the banking institution.

Crescent City Park Card.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 23.—The third race at City Park was declared off, and today's card reduced to six events. Results:

Three and a half furlongs: Beau Brummel won, Tom Morgan second, McIntyre third; time 0:43 1-5.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling: Liberty Mo won, Del Carina second, Thistle Heather third; time 1:56.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: The Gleam won, Tabor second, Lyman Hay third; time 1:50 1-5.

BREVITIES.

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VITAL RECORD { BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES.

Births.

QUINN. To the wife of H. Quinn, No. 821 Birch st., February 22, a son.

Deaths.

M'CURDY. At Soldiers' Home, February 21, Samuel A. McCurdy, aged 67 years, brother of John R. McCurdy and Evalyn G. Paulsen. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery, Saturday, 2 p.m., from Booth & Boylson's parlors.

REIN. At No. 2003 Leeli avenue, February 23, 1906, Catherine Hein, beloved wife of Jacob Hein, Sr., aged 74 years. Funeral services from family residence, No. 2003 Leeli avenue, Saturday, February 24, 1906, at 2:30 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

MURPHY. At Redondo, Cal., Feb. 22, at 3:30 a.m., Mervyn E., beloved son of James and Mary A., and brother of Edward, James, Cora, Mae Murphy; a native of Canada, aged 27 years. Funeral Sunday, Feb. 25, at 1:30 p.m. from the funeral parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1051 S. Grand ave. Services at Cathedral of St. Vibiana at 2 p.m. Interment Calvary.

JONES. In this city, Feb. 22, 1906, Thomas M. Jones, aged 58 years. Funeral services will be held today at 10:30 from Bresee Bros. parlors, Sixth and Broadway. Interment Rosedale.

SELBERT. Feb. 22, Walter J., beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Selbert, and brother of Clara, Anne and Leo Selbert, aged 21 years. Funeral Sunday, Feb. 25, at 1:30 p.m., from the residence, 1708 S. Hope st. Services at St. Vincent's Church, at 2 p.m. Interment Calvary.

THOMPSON. In this city, February 22, 1906, Edward W., Thompson, of No. 424 East Twenty-first street, a native of Maine, aged 60 years. Funeral from the parlors of Connell, Unterkircher & Crawford, No. 1051 South Grand avenue, Sunday, February 25, at 2 p.m.

Marriage Licenses.

SCHARRER-BUSCH. Edward A. Scharrer, aged 28, a native of German, and a resident of Stuttgart, Ger., and Wilhelmina Busch, aged 25, a native of Missouri, and a resident of St. Louis.

FORREST-BECHTOL. Roger Forrest, aged 28, a native of England, and a resident of Seattle, Wash., and Bertie Bechtol, aged 27, a native of California and a resident of San Francisco.

GILLINGHAM-SHULTHIS. Caleb Gillingham, aged 26, a native of California and Grace E. Shulthis, aged 28, a native of Illinois. Both residents of Los Angeles.

FERRI-DEVERILL. Joseph Ferri, aged 22, a native of Italy, and Elizabeth G. Deverill, aged 18, a native of Illinois. Both residents of Long Beach.

SWAN-SILVESTER. Joseph F. Swan, aged 63, a native of Illinois, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Mollie W. Silvester, aged 45, a native of Georgia, and a resident of Kansas City.

SCOTT-SHAW. Horace F. Scott, aged 29, a native of Vermont, and Edith E. Shaw, aged 27, a native of New York. Both residents of Pasadena.

PICKARD-DOCKERY. Samuel H. Pickard, aged 37, a native of Illinois, and Mary E. Dockery, aged 26, a native of Wisconsin. Both residents of Los Angeles.

DAY-STEWART. Leoless K. Day, aged 26, a native of Wisconsin, and Agnes Stewart, aged 18, a native of Canada. Both residents of Los Angeles.

M'KEAN-WOODS. Thomas A. McKean, aged 22, a native of Pennsylvania, and Gertrude E. Woods, aged 22, a native of Pennsylvania. Both residents of Los Angeles.

HOLDEN-GOODWIN. James H. Holden, aged 21, a native of Wyoming, and Mary A. Goodwin, aged 17, a native of California. Both residents of Los Angeles.

SCHMIDT-THON. Fred R. Schmidt, aged 41, a native of Germany, and Anna M. Thon, aged 19, a native of Minnesota. Both residents of Los Angeles.

Funeral Notice.

Members of Los Angeles Council, No. 621, Knights of Columbus, are requested to attend funeral of our late brother Knight Walter J. Selbert, at the residence, No. 1708 South Hope street, Sunday, February 25, at 1:30 p.m.

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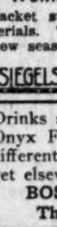
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We also are offering special values in new tailor-made suits at $15.75, $18 and $20.
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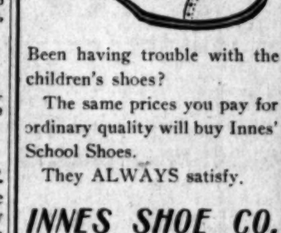
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$30 Stunning Tailor Suits $21.50
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New Covert Coats $8.95 (Today Only)
These are of the finest quality covert made, in three-quarter length, loose back or Empire models, finely tailored with stitched straps or velvet trimmed. Worth double the price. Saturday only $8.95.

White Shirt Waist Special at $1.00
New spring shirt waists, of lawn and mull, trimmed with lace and embroidery insertion, over embroidery and embroidery medallions. Made with round or pointed yokes, open either front or back. In this lot are a fine line of tailored percales and Madras; all sizes. These are unusual good values, bought to sell at considerably higher price. For Saturday only at $1.00.

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These are the newest Spring styles, comprising a special purchase made by our New York office. You will have no trouble in finding the right size, and you can save more than half your money by making your selection from this special lot. On sale in the big juvenile department on fourth floor.

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Neck Ruching
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Push Politicians Seen Mixing in School Contest.

McKinley is for Millspaugh for Superintendent.

Prexy B. Ide Wheeler Taking Hand in the Game.

The knowing ones say that politics and university control are actually breaking into our "child-like and bland" campaign for the election of a City Superintendent of Schools to succeed Prof. Foshay, and that this is the real reason why a choice was not made long ago.

Somebody has discovered that J. W. McKinley, a local politician of the "push" variety, is engineering the campaign for one of the candidates who was a class-mate of his in an eastern educational institution.

It is further said that Abe Ruef's friend, Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the State University, is taking a hand in State politics, with the idea of benefitting the university. Mr. Wheeler has visited Los Angeles since the contest came on and has conferred with McKinley and the two think they have things in shape for Prof. Millspaugh, one of the leading candidates for the place. President Wheeler is a particular friend of Millspaugh's and believes he would be a better university steerer than Prof. Francis, who is regarded as Millspaugh's closest rival. The University managers are not friendly to the expansion of the polytechnic idea.

Grave fears have been expressed by one once active in city school affairs that a combination might be effected which will result in the election of somebody who may manipulate the High Schools in the interest of the university, to the advantage of a few but to the serious detriment of thousands of students who do not wish to prepare for entrance to the university.

It was said yesterday by this gentleman who has every opportunity of knowing, that there is now a compact between the State University and the State Normal Schools, in the hope of attracting more men into the latter institutions.

The High Schools of the State, he says, shape their courses to meet university requirements, and the first question asked by the principals of these schools is: "Are we satisfying the university?" It is claimed by many educators, and by some from among high school men themselves, that this does not conserve the interests of the majority of High School pupils, since so few of them—less than 10 per cent—ever reach the university.

The gentleman in question contends that pupils not intending to enroll in the university should be offered courses of study fitting them for the life which they will immediately enter upon leaving High School.

"The university should either accept the High School pupil prepared to enter active life when he leaves the High School," was the speaker's observation, "or else the latter institutions should back away from the university and take care of the interests of the pupils who attend them, if these High Schools are to become what they are claimed to be—the poor boy's college."

At present the State University not only prepares the course of study for our State High Schools, but determines the way the subjects shall be taught, and to a large degree the teachers in the High Schools. This latter is accomplished by the State examiner, who takes his place in the classroom and listens to the presentation of a subject to the class and then may report to the principal that the presentation is not satisfactory, when one of two results follows—either the teacher goes or the study is taken off the accredited list. It is usually the former.

Said the ex-School Board member in conclusion: "It is plainly a wise provision for a city the size of Los Angeles to offer courses of study in her great High Schools that will first prepare boys and girls to meet the requirements of life upon the completion of such courses, and any movement that would threaten such a plan of High School management would be detrimental to the interests of thousands of our boys and girls."

FINDS COUNTY TOO LARGE.

Victim of Freaky Watch-Selling Concern Dragged from Court to Court in a Judgment.

Vengeance is being wreaked upon one of the victims of the Golden Gate Credit Company. He refused to pay the judgment awarded that concern, and is getting "the third degree."

H. W. Robbins was hero of the original case wherein the Golden Gate Credit Company gained notoriety on its eccentric watch deals. The concern sold Robbins a $7.50 watch for $27. When he would not pay the balance, due the company, after learning the real value of the watch, the concern sent forth notices denouncing him, notices printed on letter-heads which had the suggestive picture of a prison cell at the top.

Their latest device of punishing him for "hollering" is to drag him a merry race over the county on supplemental proceedings. Mr. Robbins is sorry the county is so big since yesterday he favors dividing the county.

Several times they dragged him before Justice Pierce to testify regarding his ability to pay the judgment. Then Justice Pierce gave an order transferring the case to the far-distant court of Justice Powell at Newhall, at the northern boundary of the county.

To get to the court, Robbins had to give up his business for the day and travel into the wilderness. When he got there, Justice Powell told him the papers had been incorrectly drawn, and he would have to come again some other day.

Robbins was notified that he must make another trip to Newhall March 10.

There are five justice courts in Los Angeles; Robbins is denied the right to go before any of them.

And there are several others in the same boat.

HOTEL AT ROSAMOND.

E. M. Hamnilton has built a stone and reinforced concrete hotel at Rosamond, with twenty guest rooms. The building is entirely fireproof, and the rooms are furnished in a very fitting manner. It was opened to the public on Washington's Birthday, about one hundred people from the neighborhood being present to celebrate the event.

COACHELLA TOWN SOLD.

Los Angeles Syndicate Buys the Place Around Which the Melons Grow.

The townsite of Coachella, Riverside county, in the heart of the section where the melons grow, is reported to have been sold yesterday to a syndicate of Los Angeles men composed of Frank R. Strong, Dr. James Hamilton Thurston and Mot H. Flint.

Dr. Thurston was still in Coachella last night completing the deal, and will return to the city today.

The land in Coachella will be rented out for melon-farming by the new owners. Mot Flint will be the mayor, postmaster and all the officers.

JILTED LOVER LOST?

Gus Miller Drops Out of Sight and Alarmed Friends and Police Can't Find Him.

Gus Miller, a young German who has resided for some time in Los Angeles, missing. He was last seen at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening.

Miller is employed by Bowen Bros. in a meat market at No. 243 South Main street. He is known as an industrious, steady young man of good habits. His friends are alarmed and

GUS MILLER,
who has mysteriously disappeared.

a search was made for the missing man yesterday. The police were unable to trace him.

There is a woman in the case. She is decidedly attractive, and Miller is said to have been desperately in love. Because she jilted him the young German is said to have been driven to despair.

The landlady at No. 241 South Main street, where Miller roomed, fears the young man has taken his life. He left the house Thursday afternoon and said he would not return. He left the key and most of his belongings. He wore his best suit. In his valise is an empty revolver holster, and it is thought he took the gun with him. He may have committed suicide.

An air of mystery surrounds the disappearance of Miller. He dropped out of sight at a time when he could have taken no train out of the city. He has no relatives in any of the nearby towns. He told William Hollis, a friend, that he (Miller) intended to kill himself where no one could find him. His mind is thought to have been affected.

TOO RICH FOR HIM?

Mrs. David Gardner Believed to Have Deserted Husband After She Inherited a Fortune.

Did Mrs. David Gardner inherit a fortune from Scotland and deliberately desert her husband at his home, No. 2104 Downey avenue?

The woman has disappeared, and her husband can give no reasonable explanation.

In the absence of any other possible motive, Gardner has turned to the theory indicated above, and last night he appeared at the police station and gave a detailed account of the whole affair.

Despite the fact that Mrs. Gardner has been missing since December 30, last, her husband is as yet entirely ignorant of her whereabouts, and has been delinquent in reporting to the police fearing that it would require considerable money.

Gardner stated last night that a short time previous to his wife's departure they had exchanged considerable correspondence with parties in Scotland relative to the settlement of an estate in which she is supposed to hold a large interest.

On the day of her leaving home Mrs. Gardner stated that she intended securing employment to assist in defraying the family expenses ,and while her husband was away at his work she disappeared.

TO PREACH OR NOT PREACH.

Shall "Barr" Give Farewell Sunday Evening.

Friends and Foes Squabble About Question.

Scheme to Gather Up Money Turned Down.

Where in hiding is to be found Bird Willett, alias Rev. Levi D. Barr, and what of his brazen proposition for the raising of funds outside his church which the secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association indignantly branded to his face as dishonest and dishonorable?

Willett is still in seclusion, and his friends yesterday denied all knowledge of his whereabouts, save for the supposition that he remains shielded from view in or near the residence of Rev. Mr. Woodward of Orange.

Aside from the dogged declaration of his intention to preach his farewell sermon Sunday before his people in the Friends Church at Third and Fremont streets, members of the congregation and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association would like to know what has become of the funds which he set about to raise, ostensibly to defray a mortgage of $3500 standing against his residence in Los Angeles.

A short time ago Barr (Willett) approached Secretary Zeehandelaar with a proposition to sign his name to a subscription list for the sake of giving the paper credit and standing, on the strength of which the preacher proposed going among the merchants of the city and raising the required amount.

This proposition was stated boldly, and without apologies, and Mr. Zeehandelaar called Willett roundly to account, branding his scheme as virtually a new sort of bunco game, and shortly inviting him to leave his office.

At that time Willett had a number of names on his subcription list for amounts ranging from $1 to $25. But it was proving a slow business, and he declared his conviction that the signature of the secretary of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association for a neat dummy sum would materially help along his zealous labors.

WHERE FRIENDS ARE FOES.

Meantime the warfare within the church goes merrily on, and the schism is growing daily wider. There are now two distinct parties within the church. There are two platforms. One is Barr, and the other is de-Barr.

Paradoxically enough, the bitterest of foes are to be found among the Los Angeles Friends.

"Rev. Levi Barr is a man filled with fire from heaven, and Mr. Cammack and all the demons of hell cannot quench it," vociferates Brother William P. Brown, chairman of the Pastoral Committee of the little Friends Church which is the storm center of a sea of angry denunciation of Pastor Willett, alias Barr, and counter charges against leading lights of the congregation made by the deposed pastor's friends.

"Barr is a bad man. The Browns know it, and they are only showing their stubbornness in standing by him and forcing him upon the church merely to justify their action in making us take him against our better judgment in the first place," explodes Brother Cammack, elder of the church.

And so, in the scant intervals between the pouring of hot shot into one another by these Godly men, the saturnine chuckle of the Great Disturber himself is almost audible.

The little congregation founded upon the precepts of brotherly love is rent wide open in the row over Bird Willett, and the publication of the sensational details of his checkered career and life en masquerade.

TO PREACH OR NOT TO PREACH.

The open question over which the two solid factions are waxing most acrimonious is whether or not Willett will be allowed to preach his farewell sermon Sunday from the pulpit of the modest little church at Third and Fremont streets.

The dissenters, led by Elder I. H. Cammack, vehemently declare that the portals of their place of worship shall never again be darkened by the rotund shadow of a man of Willett's shady reputation. They declare that they will see to it that he does not preach his Sunday sermon as announced, and hint darkly at the use of means more formidable than argument should Willett persist in an effort to make another public appearance in the church. Whether they will resort to injunction through the courts, or to force of brawn and muscle, will be more clearly ascertained today.

But the conformists on the other hand led valiantly to the fray by Brother William Brown and Arthur Brown declare that Barr shall preach, and they are backing their faith in their ability to bring this end about by ordering placed in the church an extra wagonload of chairs, and advertising widely among the members of the congregation that they would better come early in order to avoid the crush and get good seats.

This is a circular which the zealous brother has just issued:

"STANDING-ROOM AT PREMIUM.

"Standing-room in the church and about the doors will be at a premium, and those who want seats will come early. An extra wagonload of chairs has been brought. The church will be filled as never before, and the pastor will be there and deliver his farewell sermon.

[Signed] "WILLIAM P. BROWN,
"Chairman Pastoral Committee."

"It reads like the advertisement to a Kickapoo Indian medicine show," snorted a good brother last night on reading the advance agent production of Brother Brown.

And so the fight waxes hotter and hotter, and it is feared among the more conservative element of the congregation that if Barr should persist in attempting to deliver his sermon scenes of disorder and violence may be witnessed within the walls of the house of worship.

BROWN SATISFIED.

"Rev. Mr. Barr will deliver his farewell sermon Sunday morning, in spite of Mr. Cammack," said Mr. Brown. "The Pastoral Committee met and almost unanimously voted to have Rev. Mr. Barr stay with us, but he says he is called to other fields. We wish he would stay with us ten years longer."

In defense of the action of Willett in assuming another name, Brown said that the matter has been satisfactorily explained to the Pastoral Committee. When a mere boy Willett's father remarried. The stepmother, according to Brown, was hostile toward the children and succeeded in having the father disinherit them.

It is also stated that the stepmother succeeded in getting control of all of the property of her husband, and the latter died destitute.

Under these circumstances the boy adopted the maiden name of his own mother. He was converted to the Friends' faith under the name of Barr, and was ordained as a pastor under the same name. Brown says the pastor never made an attempt to keep his former name "quiet."

Chairman Brown laid all of the trouble now stirred up to the desire of Mr. Cammack to secure control of the offices of the church organization now controlled by the Brown faction.

"He will not do it," said Mr. Brown, "for at the next monthly meeting of the church, which will be held the second or third Wednesday in March, Mr. Cammack will be ousted as an elder. The vote will be 8 to 1, this I am assured of."

DRUM TOTEM OUT OF CAMP.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS SIT DOWN ON AN AGITATOR.

Typographical Union Member of the Organization is Grilled for Attempting to Stir Up Strife—The Walking Delegate Band of Capt. McKenna is Exposed.

A hot spell has occurred in Camp Roosevelt, No. 2, United Spanish War Veterans, over an attempt to drag that organization into a cheap labor-union row.

The row rose from the resignation of Capt. McKenna of Company F., Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., which was forwarded to Sacramento this week.

Since leaving the National Guard, he has come out in his true colors, his friends along with him.

McKenna's resignation was held in brigade headquarters on account of an unpaid bill for sporting goods run up by Company F. The money was finally paid, and the resignation has been allowed to go through.

Although McKenna always strenuously denied that he was in the National Guard for labor-union purposes, he no sooner got beyond the authority of the militia officers than he came out as the chief of a band of walking delegates who want to organize a political party to elect Spook Gas Howton Mayor.

Coincidentally, one Ben Robinson, a Spanish war veteran, and one of the officers of the Typographical Union, tried to rush a set of anarchistic resolutions through the United Spanish War Veterans' local camp, with most melancholy results for Benjamin.

SLAP AT "THE TIMES."

The resolution was directed against The Times which was printing the news of the funny printers' strike—a strike that was "busted" before it started. Benjamin unkindly alluded to this paper in a most uncharitable manner; he called it a "red-handed cut-throat."

Robinson is said to have been responsible for the celebrated resolutions denouncing Col. Schreiber for daring to criticise the inefficiency of the company commanded by Capt. McKenna. He just got to resoluting and couldn't stop himself.

He told the Spanish war veterans that these resolutions had something to do with that McKenna controversy.

Expecting another back-handed dig, Col. Schreiber went there in person, anxious to face his accusers. McKenna's friends having been charging him with all manner of things for having "jumped" the timid and sensitive McKenna.

Robinson informed the veterans that these resolutions had nothing to do with Schreiber; then he read them with fury and gusto. They were merely a rant against The Times.

They were very severe. The applause which he wanted did not come. Although there are many labor-union men in that organization, he was greeted with a silence that could be cut it was so thick.

ROASTED TO FRAZZLE.

No sooner had he sat down than one of the officers jumped up and roasted him and his resolutions to a frazzle; he said it was no place to bring labor union fights; denounced Robinson for having tried to drag a patriotic society into a fight of that kind.

Finally the chairman rapped for order and put the motion on the resolutions.

"All in favor, say aye." Silence of the tomb; even Robinson did not have the nerve to vote for his own resolutions.

When the noes were called for, there was a roar from every one in the crowd except lonesome Robinson.

The attempt of the labor unions to stir up strife in the National Guard is resented the more bitterly at this time because of the great efforts of the national government to make the guard ready for service. Many men of many minds belong to the National Guard; this is the first open attempt that has been made by any one to drag in labor union troubles.

MEN'S LEAGUE FORMED.

Magnolia Avenue Christian Church Gives a Banquet—Fine Decorations and Good Speeches.

The formation of a men's club in the Magnolia Avenue Christian Church last night was made the occasion of a banquet of unusual appointments.

The decorations were in green and gold and the table was massed with violets. The tables were in the form of a double cross; in the center were four standards decorated with immense bows of yellow gauze and supporting beautiful hanging baskets of flowers. The terminals of the tables were decorated to correspond.

The menu card was a unique production upon which mashed potatoes were designated as "crushed commontaters;" bread, was "stuff much kneeded," and other things after the same manner.

More than one hundred men sat down to the dinner and were waited upon by their wives, daughters and sweethearts, all dressed in white. Mr. Anderson was master of ceremonies, and the speakers were C. C. Chapman of Fullerton orange fame, and Rev. R. P. Shepherd of Pomona, both of whom made excellent speeches. The subject of the men's league was presented by Rev. Mr. McKnight, pastor of Magnolia Church, and fifty-two men signed the roll.

This congregation is one of the phenomenal growths in the city's church life and has quickly risen to a prominent place.

HAS GONE UP FOR BIG SUM.

Failure of the Lamberth Building Company.

Material Men Hardest Hit by the Collapse.

Tried to Do Too Much on Too Little Capital.

Like a rocket which went up with a flash and came down with a thud, is the career of the R. N. Lamberth Building Company of this city, which has failed for $40,000.

Many building material firms are said to have been caught in the failure with long accounts against the Lamberth concern, but it is reported that Patten & Davies, lumber dealers, are the heaviest losers, they being "stuck" for probably $10,000.

Bondsmen and material men have taken up several of the contracts which were held by the now bankrupt company, and will carry them through to completion. Thus they hope to save considerable out of the financial wreck.

The failure appears to have been due to the attempt to spread out and do a business of wide extent on a capital entirely too small for such an ambition. For months past these builders have been terribly hard up, and have made turns and twists of all sorts in order to keep their various jobs going. For some time the material men have been practically carrying them; but this could not last always, and when the first creditor to make a break for his money started, an avalanche of other accounts against the firm, there was no further stemming its financial difficulties.

About three years ago the Lamberth company began its operations in Los Angeles. It was one of those concerns which runs a regular bargain-sale proposition in home-getting. They advertised to furnish the money to put up your house on your own plans; all you had to do was to suggest your ideas, and then hand over a measly little stipend each month.

How they worked their schemes, and how perilously near grave financial difficulties they came at various times, probably the various building and loan companies could best tell. At any rate, the firm soon found itself tied up in so many propositions and so hard pressed to keep its jobs moving, that there was a falling out among the men in the company.

A year ago one of the owners, A. B. Duncan, pulled out of the concern. Since that time, it is said, matters have been going from bad to worse. The material men were forced to hold up the company simply with the hope that they could eventually pull out the money they already had in the company's ventures.

The climax of all these troubles came four days ago, when one of the material firms took charge of a building on which the company was at work. This was followed by similar moves by other creditors and bondsmen, and the Lamberth company found itself shut out of the business it had carried so precariously for so long a period.

No regular bankruptcy proceedings have been instituted, and an understanding has been reached among the principal creditors in their attempts to save as much as possible out of the building contracts now under way.

The Lamberth company has built many cottages in various parts of the city. It had also undertaken at least two larger structures. One of these was the new block at Eighth and Figueroa streets, and another was a block on East Sixth street. Their specialty, however, was small cottages, built for people who wished to pay for them on monthly installments of modest amount.

WELL-KNOWN MANAGER.

Hugo Gorlitz, Manager of Kubelik, Will Spend a Few Days in Los Angeles.

Hugo Gorlitz, of London, manager of Jan Kubelik, the famous violinist arrived yesterday in Los Angeles and immediately began preparations for the coming visit of Kubelik, which will be made March 26.

In connection wth the two concerts which the famous musician will give here an additional feature of interest is added.

Mrs. Kubelik, who has been abroad for the last four months, will arrive here at the same time and there will be a meeting of the husband and wife after a long separation. During Mr. Kubelik's absence from his wife there has been an addition to the family and arrangements are being made for the christening of the infant upon the reunion of the parents in this city next month.

In speaking of the present tour of the United States and Canada which the famous violinist has made, Mr. Gorlitz said: "It has been undoubtedly the greatest in Kubelik's history. He has been welcomed in every city and played to crowded houses from the Gulf States to the Dominion.

"While in Washington, D. C., Kubelik played for President Roosevelt and the President was immeasurably pleased with the artist's wonderful ability. He marveled that one man could acquire such perfection in playing.

"During our stay in Washington, Congressman Nick Longworth, who is a violinist of some local note visited Mr. Kubelik at his apartments in the New Willard Hotel and devoted the entire morning playing in concert with Kubelik. The great artist was agreeably surprised at the skill shown by Mr. Longworth."

Kubelik will arrive here one day ahead of his wife and children and arrangements are to be made to have a special car carrying the artist and his friends go as far as San Bernardino on the Santa Fé and meet Mrs. Kubelik.

Following the concerts in Los Angeles, Kubelik will leave on a tour of the world. The first country to be visited will be Australia.

FALLS DOWN STAIRS.

A. W. Brode, head of the Brode Electric Company, had the misfortune early yesterday morning to trip and fall down a full flight of stairs at his home, No. 1935 Brooklyn avenue. Mr. Brode is seriously injured, and may be confined to his bed for days.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Petitioners have filed a protest against the proposition to open and widen Sunset boulevard from Main to Marion street, and thus may retard a great enterprise for the "North End."

The Finance Committee of the City Council yesterday decided to decrease the tax on garages from $60 to $30 a year.

The attorney for Niemeyer yesterday demanded the issuance of a wholesale liquor license for Niemeyer for January, and license was issued on advice of the City Attorney.

An exceptionally well-attended tax sale was held yesterday at the Courthouse. The returns were large, considering the pieces of land sold.

Mrs. Charlotte Scammell has applied for an annullment of marriage on the ground that her husband suffered from tuberculosis, and that he denied it until after marriage.

The will of Mrs. Susan Bixby was filed yesterday for probate. The estate is valued at $250,000.

Dog-catcher Britt and I. S. Margolis disturbed Fido's peace, but Britt was adjudged not guilty yesterday by Judge Chambers. Margolis was fined $15 for fighting with the pound man.

Logan Lee, who shot Henry Wilkeson in a fight over Lee's wife, was discharged yesterday by Justice Chambers.

AT THE CITY HALL.

PROTEST AGAINST BROAD STREET.

"NORTH END" PROJECT MAY BE BLOCKED AGAIN.

Plan to Open and Widen Sunset Boulevard from Marion to Main Streets With Eastern Terminal at Plaza Finds Numerous Objectors Who Say Railway Project.

Must the "North End" residents again find that solace of "hope long deferred" in their plans for the opening and widening of Sunset boulevard, so that it may come into the business part of the city, a wide, handsome thoroughfare?

It now appears that it may not be all clear sailing for the long-desired project, as there has been filed with the City Clerk, for presentation to the City Council, a petition signed by many property owners in the territory directly affected, protesting against the proposed improvement.

These petitioners claim that the opening and widening of Sunset boulevard from Main street to Marion avenue is not a public necessity, is not needed by any large number of citizens; the damages would be great and irreparable to owners of property on the street affected, and the benefits would not be equal to these damages. They also allege that the railway company occupying the street, and a few real estate speculators are the only ones pushing or desiring the improvement.

In view of the long-continued efforts of many residents of the northwestern part of the city for this enterprise, and the long lists of petitioners for the improvement, the claims of the protestants may come to naught.

The plan proposed for this street is to bring its easterly end onto Main street fronting the old Plaza. This will require a cutting through of several of the old-time residences in the old adobe section and will also require the taking of fully twenty feet off of the historic old rectory of the Church of Our Lady of Angels.

LICENSE DEMANDED.

NIEMEYER WANTS IT.

Isidore Dockweiler, acting as attorney for Atalus Niemeyer, the Central-avenue liquor dealer, whose license was revoked by the Board of Police Commissioners, appeared at the City Hall yesterday afternoon and demanded an issuance of a wholesale license to Niemeyer for the month of January. Dockweiler presented a certified copy of the decision of the court which declared that the action of the Police Commission in revoking the license was null and void. On advice of the City Attorney, the license was issued. No application was made for the February license by Dockweiler. The case against Niemeyer, based on his arrest, January 6, on the charge of illegally selling liquors, will come up today before Justice Chambers.

DON'T WANT RAILWAY.

CENTRAL AVENUE PROTESTS.

Owners or lessees of property having a frontage of 558 feet on Central avenue between First and Second streets have filed with the City Clerk a petition protesting against the proposed granting of a franchise for an electric freight railway on that section of Central avenue. They declare that the street is only fifty feet in width, and that such railway "would amount to a practical confiscation of said avenue for railway purposes, and would work irreparable injury to the property owned by the petitioners."

Corridor Catch-ups.

A petition has been filed by F. A. Sanborn, who represents a frontage of 3064 feet on De Frees street, asking that this street be opened from its present terminus at Effie street clear through to the north boundary of the city, at Benefit street.

Many petitioners from the Sixth Ward have filed a petition asking for a street light at the intersection of East Thirty-eighth and Widney streets.

The Finance Committee yesterday afternoon decided to recommend the reduction of license fees for garages from the present rate of $60 to $30 per year. This was done on the representation of several proprietors of such establishments that the tax was excessive.

$150 in Gold.

Details of The Times Knowledge Contest will be found in a full page announcement in Thursday's issue, February 26. Amusement, entertainment and profit for an entire family. Cash payments of $150 will be made for correct or nearest correct responses.

Today's Mining Review Contains

Arizona's Great Silver-lead District;
"Modern Mining," by Dr. Julius Koebig;
The Demand for Machinery;
In the Oil Districts;
The Good Springs Smelter;
Geological Survey Work; together with complete reviews of mining developments, markets and movements of mining men.
In North Broadway and book stores.

Tahiti—The Beautiful!

It is now spring in Tahiti and tropical fruit is ripening. The ideal place for a vacation. Grandest scenery. Delightful voyage. Friendly natives. Steamer Mariposa sails March 11 from San Francisco, and reduced rate of $125 there and back. Information at 653 Market street, San Francisco, or 125 West Second street, Los Angeles.

50c Dinners at the Europa Cafe.

Leave no bad effect on the stomach or pocketbook. Seventh and Broadway.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

LOTS AT SONG AT TAX SALE.

SIXTY-THREE PARCELS OF LAND SOLD FOR DELINQUENCY.

Wise Ones Pick Up Bargains at Courthouse Auction, Some Pieces Going for Small Amounts—Women Most Excited Bidders—Ignorance Costs Some Persons Heavily.

There was quite a jam of people in the entrance hall of the Courthouse yesterday, in attendance on the sale of lands upon which the taxes were delinquent. A number of women were included in the throng, and were among the most excited of the bidders.

Yesterday sixty-three pieces of land were sold, and the aggregate return amounted to somewhat over $5000. Deeds to this property will be given by the State. In some instances real estate will have been obtained that is of value for a merely nominal sum. One lot sold for $476, the taxes delinquent only amounting to $10.44, while another one sold for $46, with taxes delinquent amounting to very nearly as much. In the first instance, however, a number of persons were aware of the value of the property, and the bidding was brisk.

Ordinarily the column or more of close print setting out lands for sale for delinquent taxes means little to the ordinary citizen, and yet a great deal of money is made by buying from the State these surrendered lands. Descriptions are always by section and township, and that in itself prevents the ordinary reader from realizing where the property is located, and thereby forming a rough idea of its value. Sickness and death sometimes are factors in delaying the payment of delinquent taxes. In addition, there are lapses for no reason that has ever been explained.

It is a fact, though, that a majority of people do not understand how to go about paying their taxes in any case. The mob that always besieges the office of the Tax Collector at certain times in the year is occasioned in a measure by the ignorance of some taxpayers, each of whom has to be taken in hand individually and put through what is at first a rather complicated procedure.

Yesterday over half of the property advertised for sale was redeemed before the date of sale.

ALTERED A PASS.

DENNIE GOES TO PRISON.

For more than a week H. W. Dennie has been waiting for Judge Smith to return so that he might receive sentence. He had pleaded guilty to forgery, but after that Judge Smith was taken ill and Judge Trask presided in his courtroom. Yesterday, however, Dennie had his chance to address the court, and a nice mess he made of it.

The man is a civil engineer, but has been carrying the chain for a surveying party belonging to the Southern Pacific, working in the Salton Basin. Coming to the city without permission, Dennie was summarily dismissed, and he then went on a spree. There was some delay in the payment of a balance due to him, and he altered a railroad pass for passage from Indio to Yuma, making it read from Yuma to El Paso and return, and then sold it. He was arrested and pleaded guilty to the charge.

Dennie placed the blame for his wrongdoing on the Southern Pacific, claiming the delay in paying him cost him two good positions. He said he didn't know he was committing a crime.

Judge Smith sentenced Dennie to one year at San Quentin.

SAYS HUSBAND FIBBED.

WIFE WANTS MAIDEN NAME.

Mrs. Charlotte T. Scammell wants to return to single-blessedness and again be known as Miss Charlotte T. Boyle. She says her husband told her a fib—a whopper that threatens to overshadow her whole life. For that she has petitioned the court to call her marriage off.

Two days before last Christmas Miss Boyle was married. In her complaint filed yesterday she says she refused to marry Scammel when he first popped the question, for the reason that she understood that he was afflicted with tuberculosis. But when he told her she was mistaken, she coyly gave way, and the marriage took place.

Then she says she discovered her husband for ten years had been afflicted, and she at once left him.

MRS. BIXBY'S ESTATE.

DIVIDED BETWEEN CHILDREN.

The two children of the late Mrs. Susan P. H. Bixby, with her son-in-law and daughter-in-law, have joined in petitioning the court for probate of the will of the deceased, who died on February 3. The petitioners under the will are appointed executors of the estate, without bonds.

Mrs. Bixby left all her valuable holdings of real estate, her bank stock and bonds of all kinds to her son, Fred H. Bixby, and her daughter, Mrs. Susanna P. Bryant, in equal shares. To her daughter she also left all of the personal property, consisting of furniture, silver, jewelry, library, cattle, horses, carriages, pictures and other effects. It is provided that the daughter is to have everything she cares to have, and that the son is to have anything else.

The real estate comprises part of the Alamitos Rancho, and other lands in Orange and Riverside counties. The total value is placed at $200,000, yielding a yearly income of about $5000. The personal property is valued at $50,000.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

TURNED HIM LOOSE. Deputy Sheriff Franklin yesterday arrested Aaron Warren on telegraphic instructions from the Sheriff at Corydon, Iowa. It appeared that about a year ago the grand jury in Iowa returned an indictment against Warren for seduction. When his arrest was reported the answer came to turn the man loose, and Warren was restored to liberty forthwith.

TO MAKE BOXES. The Corkhill Box Making Machine Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $150,000, of which $5 has been subscribed. The directors are W. Corkhill, Corona; W. H. Farily, Buena Park; F. C. Merrick, M. A. Hopkins and E. W. Freeman, all of Los Angeles.

IMPROVEMENT COMPANY. The Huntington Park Improvement Company has incorporated, with a capital stock of $120,000, of which $40,000 has been subscribed. The directors are H. C. Ackerly, J. S. Gortner, L. E. Wilcox, W. P. Hyatt and E. J. Hoffman, all of Los Angeles.

CASE TRANSFERRED. E. J. O. Rother brought suit for damages against A. S. Heineman in San Diego, but the case has now been transferred to this county. Rother alleges that while walking down Fifth street, San Diego, on November 25 last, the defendant came swiftly driving an automobile down the road, and ran into him. Rother was knocked down and run over, and one leg had to be amputated. He now claims $15,000 as damages, $500 for loss sustained in his business, $600 for medical expenses, and $181.60 for nursing and sanitarium fees.

SMITH DIVORCE. Julia A. Smith was granted a divorce from Cyrus D. Smith by Judge Trask yesterday, on the ground of cruelty. The parties married in the city in September, 1901, and a year later the husband is said to have become a drunkard.

STOCKS AND BONDS. The Monarch Investment Company has incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000, of which $50 has been subscribed. The directors are J. M. Kellerman, J. T. Jones, G. F. Barlow, R. Westwater and H. R. Hawkins, all of this city.

WELSH ARRAIGNED. H. H. Welsh, the Hollywood lemon grower, who got into trouble with the conductor of a car when returning home, was arraigned yesterday before Justice Young, and held to appear for trial on March 8, in the sum of $100. The bail money was forthcoming.

WANTS DAMAGES. Mary C. Wells has begun suit against the Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad Company to recover $5000 as damages for injuries. Mrs. Wells was in the act of alighting from a car at Sixth and Hill streets, on August 26, 1905, and she claims the car started suddenly, throwing her to the ground and injuring her spine.

COMPTON DIVORCE. Annie A. Compton was granted a divorce from James J. Compton by Judge Trask, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Sutter Creek in April, 1889. In August, 1899, her husband deserted his wife and two young daughters, leaving them at their home, No. 762 Kohler street, unprovided for.

GOMEZ INSANE. An old man named D. Gomez, who has been an inmate of the County Jail some time, was ordered committed to the asylum at Patton by Judge Gibbs yesterday. Senile debility is creeping upon the old man. At times he imagines he is the devil, and at other times that he is a bird.

TOLER DIVORCE. William H. Toler was granted a divorce from Christima Toler by Judge Bordwell, on the ground of desertion. The parties were married at Santa Monica in August, 1902, and in July, 1904, the wife went away, and stayed.

IN POLICE COURT.

Butcher Who Quarreled With Dog Catcher Over Canine is Fined for Disturbing the Peace.

Dog-catcher "Jimmie" Britt and I. S. Margolis, an East First-street butcher, were tried before Justice Chambers in the Police Court yesterday on a charge of disturbing the peace. It seems that the dog-catcher's wagon had driven up in front of Margolis's place of business and Britt tightly sprang to the sidewalk and seized upon one "Fido," a small black-and-white dog, with the intention of taking the animal to the pound.

Britt had seized the dog by the head, Margolis grabbed the animal's tail, and a tug-of-war ensued. The dog stretched a little, but did not give way. At last one of Britt's companions lent his aid and the dog was thrown into the wagon.

Margolis then closed with Britt, but was getting the worst of it, when a sister of the butcher ran out of the shop and began to scratch Britt, who lost his nerve and ran.

Margolis followed for more than a block and the two mixed again and were arrested. Justice Chambers decided that Britt had taken the dog while carrying out his duties and that if he got into a fight as a result, it was not disturbing the peace, but Margolis was found guilty and fined $15, which he paid sorrowfully.

LOGAN LEE DISCHARGED.

Logan Lee, who shot Henry Wilkeson a week ago because the latter was too attentive to Mrs. Lee, was discharged yesterday by Justice Chambers. Lee had been in jail on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. The testimony showed that Wilkeson had drawn a knife and had attempted to strike Lee with his fist. Lee drew his revolver and fired. Wilkeson is still in the hospital, but will recover. A negro lawyer defended Lee.

POLICE COURT BRIEFS.

Thomas I. Galloway, an attorney of this city who was arrested several days ago on a charge of being a fugitive from Illinois justice, appeared before Justice Chambers yesterday and his hearing was set for Monday. He was released on $4600 bonds. Galloway is accused of falsifying public records in Franklin county, Ill., a number of years ago.

Bert Hadley, who was arrested some time ago charged with vagrancy and who furnished bond and then skipped to San Francisco, was arrested there at the request of the local police several days ago and was brought back yesterday by Chief Auble. He was arraigned before Justice Chambers and his trial was set for February 28. He will await trial in jail.

H. C. Bartee was found guilty yesterday of violating the automobile speed law and as this was his second offense, he was fined $50.

FAILED TO PROVIDE.

WELCH ADVISED—LAW NEEDED.

Convicted of failure to provide for his wife and four little children, Joseph Welch stood before Justice Rose in the Police Court yesterday afternoon and hung his head while awaiting sentence. His delicate wife, who is not strong enough to work, but who, with the aid of one of the charitable societies and friends, has managed to give the little ones at least something to eat each day for some time, while her husband spent his earnings for drink, sat with the tears rolling down her cheeks and drew her baby close to her heart.

Justice Rose summed up the evidence, gave Welch advice, and sentenced him to serve six months in the City Jail. Then he told the convicted man that he knew that it would do his wife and family no good if he should be in jail, so for their sake the sentence would be suspended during good behavior. Justice Rose told Welch that good behavior in this case meant during the time he supported his family and so soon as he should fail to do that, that he would have to try the chain-gang for six months, and see how that went. Welch is a furniture polisher and makes good wages. He promised that he would be good and take care of his family, and with his wife and baby left the courtroom.

This happened to be the last case on the docket in Justice Rose's department, and he continued discussing it with Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Eddie, who had represented the people. "There is an urgent need of a change in the law regarding failure to support," said the justice. "In this State a man can be fined or he can be jailed for six months, but that does not do his family one bit of good, and they become public charges. In Wisconsin a man who fails to support his family can be fined or jailed, but he can also furnish a bond which guarantees that he will support his family instead of going to jail and the law works very well. If a man is caught he will get a bond, if possible, and then he will work.

"Such a law in this State and particularly here, I think, would do a great deal of good. It would make a lot of fellows take care of their families who do not now. Then the court could fix a certain allowance or portion of a man's wages or salary which should be paid to the wife every week with which to care for the family. I think that with such a law there would be fewer cases of failure to provide, and the charitable societies would not have the burden to bear that they are now trying to carry. There are perhaps hundreds of men in this city who are not now supporting their families, and such a law would catch them all and protect the city. A man has no right to come here and bring a family and then make the people of this city care for them."

FIGHT ON FREIGHT CARS.

Motorman on Los Angeles Interurban to be Arrested Today on Charge of Obstructing Street.

A complaint was issued yesterday by Deputy City Prosecutor Beebe charging the Los Angeles Interurban Railway with committing a public nuisance by operating freight cars in the city. Some time ago a similar case was tried and Justice Rose held that the railroad was not obstructing the streets by operating freight cars. The obstruction ordinance is the only one under which the railway companies can be prosecuted for running freight cars, and the city prosecutor intends to have another try at them.

This time Motorman George Leabo, who has been runing one of these cars on the Los Angeles Interurban, will be arrested, probably today, on a warrant from Justice Chambers. He will be charged, as the representative of the railway, with obstructing the streets, literally on the ground and committing the offense, if one has been committed, by the orders of his superiors in the company.

DUELIST HERO TALKS OF DEEDS.

DR. MAXIMILIAN LUND COMES TO CITY FOR SHORT STAY.

Relates Exploits During Spanish-American War in Which He Took Part—Saved Party of Soldiers from Destruction by Swimming to Transport Florida Under Deadly Fire.

Dr. Maximilian Lund, hero of many duels, actually hard fights, and who has wielded a stout blade in the interest of the United States government, is in the city for a short stay. He is registered at the Van Nuys.

Dr. Lund is a giant in stature, lithe and agile of movement, and carries many scars from sword cuts on his face, which he received in encounters with his personal and his country's enemies.

As champion duelist of the world, Dr. Lund's title has never been questioned.

It was earned for the most part in the famous duels which form a part of the student life in Heidelberg and other German universities. The hero of forty-four sword and three pistol duels—there is none who cares to stand against the big German.

He has been spending the winter at the Potter in Santa Barbara, and ran into Los Angeles for a few days of city life. He is a cosmopolitan, having been born in Denmark, educated in Germany and is an American citizen of eleven years standing, by preference.

Dr. Lund is modest and does not readily talk of his war record, but when seen last night at the Van Nuys he spoke briefly of his record in the Spanish-American War.

Immediately upon the outbreak of hostilities, the duelist enlisted as an officer of the William Astor Chanler's Rough Riders, but being unable to reach the scene of actual hostilities in Cuba, he joined the Tenth Cavalry under the name of Maj. Carter P. Johnson, serving as a surgeon and aide-de-camp with such bravery that his name was placed by the War Department, by a special act of Congress, on the list of those having performed especial acts of bravery.

One of the brave acts which stands but with particular clearness in the record of the doughty swordsman is his long swim off the coast of Cuba to seek assistance for the rescue of a half-dozen wounded comrades.

A party of American soldiers attempted to effect a landing on Cuban soil, and one was killed and twelve wounded out of the total of twenty.

A superior number of Spaniards was encountered and it was a question of securing assistance from the transport Florida or the entire party would meet death. Dr. Lund volunteered to steal through the lines of the Spaniards and swim to the transport. After being in the water for three hours he reached the Florida, and assistance was soon secured for the wounded Americans.

For this act of bravery he was mentioned in general orders for distinguished service, and in a personal letter from General Corbin to Senator Cullum, the comment was made that it was a most heroic act and the regret expressed that a more substantial reward could not be made.

Since the war, Dr. Lund has been in charge of a hospital for the insane in New York, and came to Southern California from the Uintah Indian reservation in Utah, where he was the guest of Capt. Madden of the Twenty-ninth Infantry.

In speaking of dueling in Germany, Dr. Lund said that the practice was jealously guarded, and it was considered a mark of honor to have scars from sword cuts on the fact and arms.

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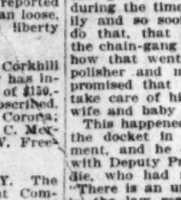

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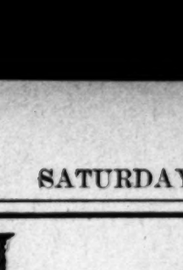

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OCCIDENTAL'S annual home field day was run off on the campus of that institution yesterday afternoon, before a small gathering of track enthusiasts. A cold wind and slow track were responsible for the slow time. Chapin, the crack distance man from Princeton, failed to lower the Coast record of 10m. 22s., in the two-mile event. The slow time of 10m. 45 2-5s. is probably due to the slow pacing he received, as he came in on a strong sprint, and seemed apparently fresh.

The feature of the day was Hagerman's jumping. He jumped past his former record of 22ft. 3½in. twice, covering 22ft. 7in. the first trial and 22ft. 11½in. the third trial, which establishes a new Southern California record for the long leap. His other jump of 21ft. 7in. shows that he was in rare form. Besides his jumping, "Hag" tied his own record of 16ft. 2in. in the high hurdles and tied Elliot's record of U.S.C. in the low hurdles.

Cummings is a new man in track work, but has been a student at Occidental for four years. He proved quite a surprise in the hundred, as he completed the century in fast time. He should make a strong bid for championship honors.

Bird, the man who gave Parsons such a run for his money last year in the quarter, showed up well. His time in both events is exceptional, considering the condition of the track.

Taken as a whole, the meet was a surprise to all, although several of the field events were very poor.

Following are the results:

The 120-yard hurdle——Hagerman won, Spaulding second, Wieman third; time 16m. 2s.

The 100-yard dash—Cummings won, Thacher second, Thacker third; time 10⅕s.

Shot-put—Clark won, Thacher second, Wieman third; distance, 33ft. 8in.

After this event Clark put the ball 36 feet.

One-mile run—Roth won, Patterson second; time 4m. 51s.

The 440-yard dash—Bird won, Holderman second, Crane third; time 53s.

High jump—Chapin won, Lowry second, McKee third; distance 5ft. 3in.

The 220-yard dash—Bird won, Holderman second, Crane third; time 23s.

Two-mile run—Chapin won, List second; time 10m. 45 2-5s.

Pole vault—Merrill won, Erwin second, Thacker third; height 10ft.

Broad jump—Hagerman won, Thomas second, Hodge third; distance 22ft. 11½in.

The 880-yard run—Roth won, Highstreet second, Settle third; time 2m. 16 1-5s.

HAGERMAN

of Occidental, who yesterday broke the Southern California broad jump record, making half an inch less than twenty-three feet.

Low hurdles—Hagerman won, Beal second, Hodge third; time 27m. 2s.

There was no hammer throw or relay.

OCEAN YACHTS TO TEST SPEED.

FIRST CONTEST ON THE PACIFIC MAY NINETEENTH.

Course Will be from San Francisco to Honolulu, the Racers to Cover a Distance of Approximately Two Thousand Miles—Many Western Boats Already Entered.

The first great ocean yacht race on the Pacific will be started on May 19. The world-wide interest that was taken in the contest on the Atlantic for the Emperor William's cup has stirred the yachtsmen of California and the Hawaiian Islands to another big enterprise of a similar kind. The Hawaiian Promotion Company proposes to show a number of Californians who are taking in this race that the climate of Honolulu is all that the giddiest fancy ever painted.

The Hawaii Yacht Club of Honolulu, Hawaii, offers a solid silver trophy costing five hundred dollars to the winner in a straightaway sea-going hustle from San Francisco to Honolulu. The committee, composed of T. W. Hobron, T. C. Smith and H. P. Wood, is making all kinds of preparations for the reception of the visiting yachts, and it is stated in the advance notice that all expense of pilotage, towing, harbor dues and fresh water must be borne by the Hawaii Yacht Club.

The start is to be from Meigg's Wharf, San Francisco, and the finish will be off Diamond Head Light, Honolulu. Watchmen will be on hand day and night to time the finish, which will be when the "light is abeam and the yacht is within a distance of two miles." All yachts entering must belong to some recognized yacht club, and to be eligible must measure not less than forty feet in deck length. But there are to be no restrictions as to sails, professional sailors or navigators, or number of crew.

The Lurline, which is getting a full new racing outfit from the lofts of C. A. Lewey at Terminal Island, is seventy-two feet on the waterline and eighty-five over all, beam twenty-one feet and draught ten feet. She knows the South Pacific pretty well and her last trip was to the Sandwich Islands. Commodore Sinclair is his own skipper and was formerly a member of various New York crack clubs. He is the most experienced yacht owner on this coast.

The schooner Aggie, owned by J. V. Coleman, of San Francisco, is entered at seventy-eight feet over all and seventy feet waterline. Fulton S. Berry of Fresno, Cal., and a member of the Bohemian Club of San Francisco, will sail his Nixie, which is smaller than five of the others, being only fifty-six and a half over all and thirty-six and a half waterline. The yacht La Paloma of Hawaii, owned by Clarence Macfarlane, is also entered. The schooner Bonita owned by F. S. Stimpson of Seattle, is forty-four on the waterline and sixty-five on deck. The schooner Ramona, owned by Douglas White of Los Angeles is sixty-six feet on deck and fifty-two below. Tramontana measures sixty-seven and forty-six and a half. Lady Ada, fifty-nine and forty-two and the Martha, fifty-seven and forty, are mentioned as probable entries, with the Minerva, Iola, Juanita and Josephine.

A very interesting craft is now on her way round the Horn to take part in this race if she arrives in time to prepare. This is the ketch Anemone which was recently purchased by Charles L. Tutt of Pasadena. If she comes to San Pedro safely, she will make a record in being the smallest pleasure vessel that ever rounded the land of the Fuegians, being only ninety-one feet on the waterline and 112 on deck. But she knows all about big seas, as a former owner took her from England to Australia and back again. Her 200-horse power auxiliary engine will of course be put out of commission when she races to Honolulu.

The course now to be run is not as long as in the race for the Emperor's cup in the Atlantic, but as sailed, the yachts will travel considerably over two thousand miles. In the latter half of May the westerly trades may be expected to be as regular as clockwork, and Commodore Sinclair expects to go most of the way on one tack. His Lurline and the Aggie are old rivals, their most memorable race being from San Francisco to San Diego, when the Lurline won by only one hour. As an honorary member of the Hawaii Yacht Club, Commodore Sinclair calls attention of California yachtsmen to the fact that at Hawaii the fresh water will be free.

TWO JOCKEYS TAKE TUMBLE.

NEITHER BOY SERIOUSLY HURT BY THE SPILL.

Sanfara Runs a Mile in Very Fast Time and Wins Easily—Favorites Grab Three of the Six Events and Run Close up to the Front in Almost Every Other Race.

Two jockeys took a tumble yesterday in the last race as a wind-up of the day's sport at Ascot, but as luck would have it neither of them was hurt, according to reports from the paddock. The horse Rubiana, running fifth, next to the rail, stumbled and threw her rider, and in the mix-up, the horse Pinta, right behind, also dumped her rider. This was about the only feature of the day, although three favorites won, and one of them galloped easily over a mile of ground in 1:39⅕, and could have gone faster had there been any occasion for it. A fair-sized crowd was present.

Results:

Mile and one-sixteenth: Sandalwood, 107 (Miller,) 6 to 5, won; Tramway, 107 (Jackson,) 5 to 2, second; La Taranta, 107 (Landon,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:50. Katie Crews, Salario, McKee Cowanus, Yellow Kid, Merry Sport, Lady Witt and Waseon also ran. Lehero scratched.

Four and one-half furlongs: Tom Gilroy, 108 (Moriarity,) 8 to 1, won; Native Son, 110 (Booker,) 13 to 5, second; Halton, 113 (Horner,) 3 to 1, third; time 0:55. Van Loan, Prosperity, Edwin T. Fryer, Kilter, Walter Eckles and Burning Bush also ran. Joan of Arc and Celsis scratched.

Mile and fifty yards: Sunray, 90 (Ross,) 11 to 5, won; Chan. Walworth, 90 (Miller,) 6 to 5, second; Lucian, 102 (McDaniel,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:43⅘. Hippocrates, Stoessel, Helen S. and Yoeman also ran. Chactas and Kate Campbell scratched.

Mile: Sanfara, 87 (Miller,) 1 to 2, won; Wreane, 92 (McDaniel,) 8 to 1, second; Crowshade, 89 (Preston,) 3 to 1, third; time 1:39¾. Willie Gregg, Revolt, Antara, Sand Storm and Pleasant Days also ran.

Mile and seventy yards: Miss May Bowdish, 108 (Palms,) 3 to 1, won; Huapala, 108 (Nichols,) 12 to 1, second; Northville, 110 (Miller) 8 to 5, third; time 1:46. Sherry, Patsy Brown, Tattenham, Freeslas, Old Mike, Golden Light and Gondolus also ran. Hersain, Bailey, Big Injun and Stone Arabia scratched.

Six furlongs: Starling, 98 (Miller,) 7 to 10, won; Evelyn Griffin, 93 (Horner,) 5 to 2, second; Anona, 104 (Preston,) 15 to 1, third; time 1:14. Elizabeth F., Seed Cake, Mrs. Bob, April's Pride, Cora Goetz, Rubiana and Pinta also ran. Little Buttercup, Salina, Lady Travers and Lady Huron scratched.

HARD BLOWS AT SPORT.

BILLS IN NATIONAL HOUSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two bills directed at the existence of the race track at Bennings, D. C., were introduced in the House today by Representatives Dalzell and Acheson of Pennsylvania, respectively.

Dalzell's sweeping measure provides that it shall be unlawful for any person, persons, or association, in the cities of Washington or Georgetown, or anywhere in the District of Columbia outside of the cities named, to bet, gamble, make books or pools on the result of trotting or running races of horses or contests of speed or power of endurance of man or beast or on any boat race, basketball game, election or contest of any kind. Violations shall be punished by a fine of not more than $500, or less than $100, or imprisonment or not more than ninety or less than thirty days.

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Harvard's Football Receipts. Eastern Racing.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CALUMET (Mich.) Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The most successful tournament ever held by the Ski Association was concluded at Ishpeming today. It is estimated that 15,000 persons witnessed the events, special trains carrying people from various points in the Northwest. Owing to the soft weather, the slide on Brass-wire Hill was not in good condition, but many of the 100 noted European and American ski-ists in the tournament made creditable jumps.

Prizes were awarded in the following order: Ole Feiring, Duluth, Minn.; Ole Mangseth, Red Wing, Minn.; Carl Jacobson, St. Paul, Minn.; Carl Eck, Red Wing; Ole Westgaard, Ishpeming; Ole Hendrickson, Red Wing; Elling Dieson, Duluth; Otto Howe, Red Wing; Julius Kulstad, Bovey, Minn; Ephraim Olson, Red Wing.

The prizes for the best form went to Theolief Halter, Ishpeming. The longest standing jump was made by John Mangseth, Duluth, distance 94 feet.

Today's exhibition is considered the finest display of ski-ing ever seen in the United States, and several jumps came near establishing new records.

In a distance ski contest of Finnish skiers, today, Asaria Antio won first prize, making six miles in 40 minutes. He holds the world's record for thirty kilometers.

THREE HOT FAVORITES.

HONORS DIVIDED AT OAKLAND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Three hot favorites captured the honors in the first half of the card at Oakland today. A surprise came in the fourth race, when Canejo, after several unsuccessful attempts, finally won a purse at 13 to 1. Nine Spot came from away back in the fifth race and caught Jackfull tiring and won. The weather was threatening and track sloppy. Results:

Four furlongs: Woolma, 112 (Robinson,) 11 to 20, won; Yankee Jim, 109 (League,) 15 to 1, second; John H. Sheehan, 112 (C. Williams,) 15 to 1, third; time 0:50½. Charley Payne, May L. N., Coma, Utica, Doric, Lassen, Menden and Santa Clara also ran.

Six and a half furlongs: Batam, 107 (Rice,) 9 to 10, won; Sizz, 100 (Rettig,) 30 to 1, second; Dick Wilson, 110 (Dugan,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:24. Frank Flittner, Frolic, Rotrou, Rumore and Orphan Girl also ran. Temptation was left.

Five furlongs: Lilly Golding, 110 (Robinson,) 9 to 10, won; Sylvia Talbot, 110 (Dugan,) 12 to 1, second; Princess Wheeler, 110 (Knapp,) 9 to 1, third; time 1:02⅘. Ethel Barrymore, Melar, Soundly, La Chata, Running Miss and Parting Jennie also ran. Erema was pulled up.

Mile and a sixteenth: Canejo, 100 (Rettig,) 13 to 1, won; Blackthorne, 110 (F. Sullivan,) 16 to 1, second; Jerry Hunt, 110 (Dugan,) 40 to 1, third; time 1:52. Ripper, Expedient, Bird of Passage, Loonie, Sacredius, Dr. Shorb and W. B. Gates also ran.

Mile and fifty yards: Nine Spot, 107 (Clark,) 5 to 1, won; Jackfull, 104 (T. Sullivan,) 3 to 1, second; Corrigan, 112 (Knapp,) 7 to 5, third; time 1:46⅘. Briers, Orchan and Conger also ran.

The Halma Handicap, six furlongs: St. George, Jr., 104 (C. Williams,) 9 to 5, won; Soufriere, 106 (C. Miller,) 7 to 2, second; Boloman, 90 (W. Smith,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:16. Phalanx, Salable, St. Francis and Delagoa also ran.

TWO BASKET GAMES.

FAST BALL PROMISED TODAY.

Tonight basketball fans will probably witness one of the fastest games of this season, when the Y.M.C.A. Maroons meet the Whittier College five. Neither team has lost a game thus far, and both are playing good ball. The game should be close as the players are in first-class condition and able to stand a speedy pace.

In the second game Long Beach Y.M.C.A. and the Santa Monica Breakers will contest. Both teams are equally matched. The games will be played at the Turner gymnasium.

A special league meeting is called for Tuesday evening to decide where the Wednesday night games are to be played. It is impossible to get the Turner gym on that evening as room is needed for additional classes.

SPEED IN THE WATER.

NEW AMERICAN RECORDS MADE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—In the National Amateur Athletic Union swimming championship tournament yesterday, C. A. Rubert made a new American record of 2:05 3-5, in the 150-yard back stroke championship.

C. A. Carey of the University of Pennsylvania (with 17 secs.) won the 100-yard handicap by a couple of inches, with L. S. Crane, New York Athletic Club (9 secs.) second, two feet ahead of J. Scott Leary of San Francisco, the principal scratch man, who was third.

O. M. Daniels of the New York Athletic Club was in great form, and as he won the 100-yard event in full swimming costume, his time, 58 secs., is a new world's record. During this race, Daniels made two other records. He reduced the figures for 75 yards from 42 to 41 3-5 secs., and for 80 yards from 49 to 44 secs.

Daniels won the 220-yard championship by ten yards from Marquand Schwartz of St. Louis in 2:33 1-5, which is only two seconds behind the world's record. During the event, Daniels reduced the American records at 150 and 200 yards from 1:46 3-5 to 1:45 and 2:26 1-5 to 2:26, respectively.

The 100-yard championship swim was won by Daniels; Marquand and Schwartz second, J. Scott Leary third; time: 58.

WILLIE HOPPE'S BILLIARDS.

NEW WORLD'S RECORD MADE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Perhaps "Willie" Hoppe is not playing quite an assortment of billiards in practice at the present time. Last evening, while engaged in 18.1 play with "Fred" Harer, instructor at the Union Club, Hoppe made a run of 197, and followed it up immediately after with another run to 51. Hoppe beat Harer by a score of 300 to 60. Hoppe averaged 30, and Harer 6.

The game was played in Hoppe's new academy in West Thirtieth street. Hoppe's performance created a new world's record. The young champion has offered to pay $25 to any shortstop billiardist who can defeat him in a 300-point game at 18-inch balk line. Hoppe agrees to play one shot in while his opponent may play two in.

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PART II: EDITORIAL, LOCAL AND BUSINESS SECTION

Pen Points

"He who laughs last laughs best," quoth the proverb. But does this apply to Johann Hoch, who laughed last yesterday?

China has given every necessary evidence that she desires peace. Then why this desire on the part of others to piece her up?

The chances are now that the Mayor may yet make a mistake and name a Board of Public Works that the Council will confirm.

Why dig up this fellow Putnam Bradlee Strong again? Was there not enough others to furnish stench for the public nostrils?

We desire to take back at least nine-tenths of the mean things we have ever said about the Pennsylvania Railroad. It has abolished "peanut butchers" from its entire system.

Twenty thousand Iowans at a picnic in Los Angeles on Washington's Birthday! And next year there is likely to be double that number here. It's Iowa to the jack rabbits again.

There is not quite so much hope for the race as there might be as long as the people continue to hang breathlessly on every word that Mrs. Crater-Samms says about Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner.

The Nebraska courts having decided that a married woman can transfer her property without the consent or signature of her husband, the first step toward the total elimination of man has been taken.

One thing that proves that the negroes have advanced to a very high plane of civilization, culture and respectability is the fact that John L. Sullivan boasts that he never associated with them.

It is shown that Weininger, the German author who wrote a book attacking women, really does not know them. If he did he would be wiser than Solomon and all the men who ever lived on this earth, including Adam.

Not being allowed to crown her own Kings on the Hill of Tara, as of old, Ireland has been forced to content herself with uncrowned Kings now for many centuries past. The present uncrowned monarch is Dr. Douglas Hyde.

If it were not for a parcel of patriotic boys San Francisco would have paid no attention at all to Washington's Birthday. But what could be expected from a town that has sold itself body and soul to a pair of Hessians like Abe Ruef and Fiddler Schmitz?

It is noticed that the President of the United States is still forced to give up his valuable time to the selection of postmasters for towns like Hollister and Oxnard. Isn't it about time now that he should be relieved of that kind of picayune work?

Yesterday Johann Hoch said he was in the hands of God and his lawyers. Today he is either with God or with Mephistopheles, who was the prince of lawyers. It is not for us to judge. He had his own troubles while on this earth, poor devil, having been married twenty-four times.

Los Angeles is already preparing for other celebrations, close on the heels of Washington's Birthday. The first of March comes St. David's Day, and on the seventeenth we must wear a few shamrocks in honor of St. Patrick. This is a busy town and there is something doing every minute.

Thanks to us and the likes of us who write pieces for the papers every day and thus manage to keep the till filled with money, the newspaper publishers have been having a very fine vacation back there in "little old New York." But it's all right. We're not so mean but we can let our hired men off for a good time, now and then, especially in view of the fact that they'd take it anyhow.

Peace to the ashes of Mrs. War Bonnet, though it was firewater that laid her low. In the battle of Little Lightning Creek it was she who loaded the rifles and carried the canteens while the warriors of her tribe fought to the last ditch, and died there in their tracks. She was the Molly Pitcher of the Sioux. May she wake up in the Happy Hunting Grounds sober and without a headache.

The diplomats at Algeciras seem positively unable to come to an agreement. There will come a day when the world will grow very tired of having its difficulties placed for settlement in the hands of diplomats, and will turn them over to business men or some other class of men who are not afraid to speak out loud and say what they mean without dodging around the bush like a lot of horse traders.

What on earth does a little nation like Cuba want with an army of 6000 soldiers? Cuba is now a republic and it seems to us that she ought to be able to get along without soldiers, except possibly a few companies of militia for show purposes on feast days. She isn't big enough to fight any other nation if every man on the island were in the army, and if she were attacked by a foreign foe she would have to yell to Uncle Sam for protection. Let her save her money and build roads with it.

THE HANGING OF HOCH.

In Chicago yesterday the multi-murderer, Johann Hoch, was hung in expiation of his many crimes. Specifically, he was executed for the murder of the woman whom he last killed, who was the twenty-third woman to whom he had been married. About one month after marriage, wife No. 23 died suddenly, and five days later Hoch married her sister, whom he deserted, after securing $750 from her. When arrested, a short time afterward, he was arranging to marry again, and had he succeeded, the woman would have been wife No. 25. She became suspicious, however, from having seen Hoch's picture in the newspapers, and communicated with the police, his arrest following.

That Johann Hoch was one of the most remarkable criminals of the century is obvious. It seems incredible that he could have deceived so many women into marriage within the comparatively brief period of ten years. Yet his record has been carefully traced, and it shows that from 1895 to 1905 he married twenty-four women, most of whom died under suspicious circumstances soon after marriage, and some of whom he deserted, after securing considerable sums of money from them. The remarkable mortality among the wives of Hoch seems not to have attracted special attention until the circumstances surrounding the death of No. 23 came out after his marriage to her sister, No. 24, five days after the death of No. 23, and his desertion of No. 24 soon after marriage.

It is indeed a strange chapter of horrors, the matrimonial career of this man of many murders and many wives. It is only another instance of the unaccountable idiosyncrasies of women when it comes to matters of the heart. With Hoch, however, the marrying and getting rid of wives appears to have been purely a matter of business, and not in any sense a matter of the heart. He was certainly one of the most atrocious monsters that modern civilization has disclosed.

The case of Hoch illustrates the mischief of legal delays in criminal cases. He was three times respited after having been convicted, upon conclusive evidence, in May last. All the technicalities of the law were invoked to save his neck, and the State has needlessly incurred heavy expense to secure the execution of the sentence originally pronounced against him. Since his trial, no reasonable doubt has existed as to Hoch's guilt. If the sentence of death pronounced upon him June 3, last, had been carried out on June 23, as ordered, much time and trouble might have been spared, and the world would have been better for its riddance of a criminal so unnatural and monstrous.

The desirability of the prompt punishment of criminals found guilty of crimes—and especially of crimes so terrible as those of Hoch—is obvious. One of the greatest of the evils that have grown up under our system of government is the lax enforcement of our laws. It is necessary to reiterate, again and again, the necessity for better conditions in this respect, in order to keep the public mind alert on this subject. We are far behind all other English-speaking people in this regard. It is time to strip away all needless technicalities and subterfuges which tend to delay the administration of justice, and to insist upon quick and sure punishment for criminals after they have been convicted of crime.

Los Angeles has an object lesson before it, at the present time, in the case of the depraved wretch who recently murdered an honored woman of the community, Mrs. Canfield, at her own doorstep. There should be no dilly-dallying in the trial and conviction of the criminal degenerate who committed this foul crime. As to his guilt there is not a shadow of doubt, for the murder was witnessed by a number of reputable persons. His conviction will speedily follow his trial, and his execution should speedily follow his conviction. Los Angeles has had other object lessons as impressive as this one, but it has not always profited by them, for in some cases murderers have been permitted to outlive their crimes by two or three years.

To any thinking person the fact is obvious that the best way to protect human life is to impress upon the minds of degenerates, and of all persons criminally inclined, the idea that justice is swift and sure, and that it is something to be dreaded, not to be trifled with.

It will be well for the people to serve notice on the United States Senate that the Railway Rate Bill introduced by the Hon. Philander Knox of Pennsylvania will not be accepted, no matter how it reads or what it says. You can bet your last cent that the bill is cross-eyed and neither goes the way it looks nor looks the way it goes.

TRADE SCHOOLS NECESSARY.

Trade schools have become an absolute necessity because of conditions which have been brought about through the shortsighted and unjust methods of trades-unionism, in limiting the number of apprentices who are permitted, under their rules, to learn a trade. As President Alexander of the State Federation of Citizens' Alliances well says, we do not need "schools with shop attachments, but shops with school attachments, where our boys who have had a common school education, but are unable to take a college course, may learn a trade and come forth prepared to battle with the world."

Citizens' Alliances in all parts of the country are discussing this question, and in many places they are taking steps to establish trade schools in conformity to the recognized need for them. At Palo Alto, in this State, as readers of The Times already know, a trade-school (or, rather, "a shop with school attachments,") is to be built, at a cost of something like $1,000,000 for the purpose of teaching trades to American boys who are denied by the rules of unionism the opportunity to learn them. The movement is destined to grow, and its growth will be rapid because these schools will supply a need which is pressing.

If the rules of the various unions, limiting the number of apprentices, could be enforced in all the trades (and they could be enforced if the closed shop plan were generally in force) the number of skilled workers would steadily decrease, until those remaining would be able to command a scale of wages limited only by their greed. They would be able also to exercise arbitrary control over the output of the various industries, to limit the hours of labor, and in many ways to decrease the opportunities of other men, to their own benefit and aggrandizement. Of course, these chimerical schemes of monopoly cannot be realized. One reason why they are impossible of realization is because the establishment of trade-schools will open the door of opportunity to the American boy to learn an honest trade, and will thus help to break down the monopoly which the trades unions are seeking to establish.

The establishment of trade-schools will serve to decrease crime. Boys who are denied the opportunity to learn trades drift naturally into the ranks of loafers and criminals. They cannot all enter the professions, because the field there is already overcrowded. So, also, is nearly every field of common and special labor. It is a significant fact that over 25 per cent. of the crimes committed in California are committed by boys from 16 to 20 years of age. Trades-unionism is directly responsible for a large proportion of these crimes. Hundreds and thousands of American boys, whose parents are unable to send them to college, even if they were inclined to go, would learn useful trades if afforded an opportunity to do so, and would thus keep out of the ranks of vagrancy and crime.

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THE PROGRESS OF LIBERIA.

The negro republic of Liberia has had as a recent visitor Mrs. French Sheldon, a scientist and doctor of distinction, and well known throughout the literary world as the translator of Flaubert's great historical novel Selambo. She sojourned for six weeks in the country studying its people, its resources, its industries, and its system of government. From this trained observer, therefore, we have criticism at first hand, not, as has been so frequently the case with Liberia, by mere hearsay arriving through the medium of some sailor-man who has chanced to put in for a day or two at the port of Monrovia, which is also the capital of the republic.

In an article in one of the London newspapers Mrs. Sheldon gives her impressions of Liberia, and they are warmly appreciative. She says that the negro republic, despite all statements to the contrary, is making really wonderful progress. Every town and college has its school, and in Monrovia there is a college of which she cannot speak too highly. The President of the republic, Arthur Barclay, she describes as a man of whom any nation might well be proud—a man of high intellect, deep learning and wide reading, an able, astute and honest statesman, thoroughly abreast of all the great political and social questions of the day. And although he stands foremost among his fellow-citizens, there are many others almost his equal in mental vigor and training.

Justice is well administered, home life is comfortable and refined, and the people as a whole are happy, contented and industrious. What the Liberians mainly need is capital wherewith to introduce machinery and start manufactures; they also require more commercial knowledge, and better regulation of their imports and exports. But, as showing that they are enlightened in regard to their own deficiencies, it may be mentioned that the government is about to appoint two trained customs officials from America or Europe, and in its determination to secure the best men available, is allotting them salaries far above that which the President of the republic himself draws. The Liberians, we are told, are fervently patriotic—proud of their independence and determined to preserve it at all costs. "They are a sober and earnest people, and in my opinion will go far"—thus Mrs. Sheldon sums up her judgment.

After the condescending patronage or mild satire to which the negro republic of Liberia has been so liberally treated in the world's press, it is refreshing to come across such warm commendation based on personal investigation and buttressed by marshalled facts. For the United States stands in what has been defined by the diplomats as a "paternal relationship" to Liberia, and the results achieved by this experimental republic of civilized negroes may eventually count for much in the final solution of the race problem.

A CLEAN SWEEP.

WHAT'S SAID IN SAN FRANCISCO.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—Los Angeles enterprise figured in the recent banquet of local real estate men. Mayor Schmitz, in good trim for leading the grand march at the police ball, and pitching the first curve at the firemen's benefit, in his usual pleasing-platitude speech, urged harmony among all classes, and advised the emulation of Los Angeles.

"Why," said he, "the automobile I rode in there was numbered 10,517, and there are only 5000 automobiles in the State. That's enterprise."

Former Mayor Phelan, seated near Schmitz, voiced his pet hobby of incurring a debt of $50,000,000 to make a "city beautiful." None of the real estate orators had any public explanation to make of the thousands of "To-Let" signs ever increasing all over the city. One of the flattering speeches, sweet almost to nausea, was that of Prof. Plehn of the State University, who said that real estate was taxed altogether too high. He made a hit even if it was at the expense of economics.

Nowadays, it would appear that the State University will furnish professors on demand, to say anything desired. There is much bottled-up wrath here because Prof. Parker is abroad in the land, saying that "the present administration is the best San Francisco ever had." Ruef's fine hand is seen in this, as President Wheeler has told a graduate that Ruef is a high-class man. Quite a friendship is said to exist between the boss and the president. Meanwhile, under this plan of "get there at any cost" the scandals at Berkeley, such as students stealing and selling examination papers, increase.

The wide-open tenderloin, under "the best administration," lures the students nightly, as shown by the early morning arrests of young girls, who say that they had been given liquor by Berkeley students.

C. Stuart McMullan is trying to rob us of our hard-earned distinction of being "the wickedest city in America." In a written defi he says that Oakland reeks with corruption, and he offers to prove that it is worse than San Francisco. C. Stuart certainly could not have heard of our liquozone case. The health board once pronounced the cure-all very impure, and later declared it to be harmless. Oakland's nemesis could not have heard of the dismissal for lack of prosecution of defendants, represented by Attorney Mack, a Schmitz Rough Rider, who were accused of causing the death of a rich old man. Some one ought to tell him of the difficulty two women had to get a warrant for the arrest of "Billy" Pratt, a saloon man friendly to "the best administration," charged with striking them with a bottle because he did not like the color of their hair. Police Judge Shortall, Ruef's man, would not issue a warrant, as Pratt was his friend. The warrant clerk offered them a written request to Pratt to appear, if they would serve it personally.

Oakland may be rotten, but there are others.

Because Geary street only ran into Kearney and could run no further, the strenuous Mayor has seized it. The same old rattle-trap cars will run for some time. The weekly secret Sunday caucus of Schmitz, Ruef, and the Supervisors, brought forth this great victory over a defenseless street. City Attorney Burke has been refused admission to the caucus for fear that he would leak. Water and gas rates are to be fixed low—so low that the corporations, when in the Federal courts, will have good ground to allege confiscation. The Home Telephone Company will get a franchise, ostensibly to rebuke the former administration. The garbage crematory dispute is still unsettled, much to the disgust of nearby residents. Labor leaders are fighting each other bitterly over a free municipal employment bureau. When hard times come the wise leaders see their finish in politics if the city officially cannot get men to work. Overhead wires in proscribed districts still exist, because we have no official like your Deputy Woodis to tear them down. Supervisors with small say in the government are squabbling over empty committee precedence. Joseph Levy, Ruef's friend, is to furnish to the fire department, 150 horses at about $325 apiece. Kearney street, near Ruef's office, is to be repaired for $17,000. A sewer is to go in Seventh avenue from H to L, four blocks, at a cost of $34,000. Ruef's man, Assemblyman Tom Atkinson, is in charge of the new bureau of accounts, at $3000 a year. The United Railways took in $7,000,000 in 1905, and the "best administration" wishing to get aboard, proposes 3-cent fares. This bluff will be met by the company refusing to transfer. And the chapter is only half-written.

Pugilist Britt says that Pugilist Gans is no gentleman, and Papa Britt wishes to confirm it with a blackjack. Willus Britt, the pugilist's brother, capped the climax by giving one of his cigars to Gans. The whole mess smells bad, and between it and the garbage crematory there is urgent need of some disinfectant. Morris Levy comes to the rescue, for he proposes to take Gans to Arcadia for a fight with Mike Sullivan and Tuxedo Graney to referee. Levy sees that the fight trust is in a bad way, so he offered this conundrum: "What is a fight trust?" and the answer is "Four men who do not trust one another." While Levy got this off at the regular office of the trust, waiting for an appointed conference with the other three trustees, they were out at Graney's house giving him the double cross. Levy looks to Los Angeles for solace. The other trustees hope that the San Francisco sporting public has not changed from the same old good thing.

Pardee and Gillett are fighting in the north, and the other candidates for Governor are hardly mentioned. Alameda county, solid for Pardee, will yield everything else to the south. Harriman will soon be here to take the railroad out of politics. Nothing dropped. Justice Lorigan and Editor Hayes are at it in Santa Clara. Judges Melvin, Hebbard and Cook, and Judge Frank Oster of San Bernardino would like to go up higher. R. E. Collins of Redding will oppose Beamer as equalizer. Secretary Curry, Controller Colgan, Treasurer Reeves, Superintendent Kirk, and Printer Shannon, all hope for a renomination. M. L. Ward of San Diego may oppose Smith in the Eighth Congress District.

The Democrats, Iroquois and others, are still "speechless."

ARMY AND NAVY MEN.

Capt. John E. Roller, U.S.N., retired, has been ordered to the navy yard, Norfolk, for duty, relieving Capt. C. K. Curtis, who has been ordered home.

Capt. and Mrs. Benjamin J. Edgar, who have been visiting in San Francisco since their marriage, leave very shortly for their station in Texas.

Capt. Frank C. Bolles, Sixth United States Infantry, is enjoying a leave in China and Japan, and will return to duty with his regiment in the Philippines about March 5.

Surgeon Charles F. Stokes, U.S.N., has been assigned to duty in command of the Naval Hospital at San Juan de Porto Rico. He sailed from New York February 10 for this duty.

Lieutenant-Commander Count Albert Victor Gleichen, the new military attaché of the British embassy at Washington, is a second cousin of King Edward and a third cousin of the German Emperor.

The California Commandery, M.O.L.U.S., held a reception and banquet in San Francisco recently in honor of Maj.-Gen. John R. Brooke, U.S.A., commander-in-chief of the order, at the Occidental Hotel.

Corp. George Matthews, U.S.A., who has been retired after thirty-one years of service, was born in England in 1852, and after arriving in the United States, in 1869, enlisted in the Seventh Infantry in 1871. He fought with Gen. Custer in the Sioux campaign, and participated in the Nez Perces conflict. During the Cuban campaign he was engaged in all the maneuvers about Santiago, taking part in the battles of El Caney and San Juan Hill.

Chaplain William G. Cassard, U.S.N., stationed at Cavite, Manila, and formerly attached to the training station, writes to friends in Newport, R. I., to state that the Men's Service Club at Cavite, devoted exclusively to the enlisted men of the navy, is meeting with success there.

Daniel D. Pullen of Skagway, Alaska, was designated by President Roosevelt for appointment to the Military Academy. This is the first appointment to a West Point cadetship that Alaska has ever received. Mr. Pullen is a sophomore in the university in Washington State and is 21 years old.

Col. Webb C. Hayes, a son of the late President, unveiled the monument at El Caney, erected in memory of those who lost their lives in the siege of Santiago, Cuba. Lieut.-Gen. Chaffey, who presided, spoke of the achievements of the army and complimented Cuba upon her efficient government.

Capt. David J. Baker, Twenty-sixth United States Infantry, colonel and acting chief of the Philippine Constabulary, has caused considerable heart-burning among constabulary officers by issuing an order which provides that hereafter the American coat of arms, which has hitherto been worn on their shoulder straps, must be omitted.

Gen. Horace Porter will visit Annapolis, Md., in a few days to confer with Rear-Admiral Sands, superintendent of the Naval Academy, and Gov. Warfield of Maryland about arrangements for the placing of the body of John Paul Jones in the new Naval Academy chapel, where it will remain permanently. The ceremony will take place in April.

Lieut. James F. Hall, who has been East recently, has returned to his duties at the General Hospital, the Presidio. Capt. C. P. B. Wood of the English army is a visitor in San Francisco at present, staying at the St. Francis. He is a famous polo player and will be entertained quite largely at Burlingame.

The transport Logan arrived at San Francisco from the Orient on Sunday with the First Squadron of the Second Cavalry on board, in command of Col. F. K. Ward, en route to Fort Assinniboine. Prominent among the passengers were Gen. Butler D. Price, who has recently been retired, and Capt. R. O. Van Horn, military Governor of Cottobato, and Maj. H. L. Scott, military Governor of Jolo, here on leave. Lieut. [illegible], Funston's aide, also returned on the Logan, on which he acted as toastmaster on the trip over and [illegible] is receiving a hearty welcome in San Francisco.

Capt. D. Sakamonto and Ochiichi of the Imperial Japanese navy were at the Imperial Hotel, Los Angeles City, February 14, having stopped over on their way to Europe, where they are to take command of two battleships just completed by British shipbuilders for Japan. They will have with them complete crews of Japanese sailors for the vessels.

A wide circle of friends in Washington will welcome the return to Honolulu of Lieutenant-Commander Arthur P. Niblack, U.S.N., who has just been detached from the Chicago and ordered home. Lieutenant-Commander Niblack has been stationed at Honolulu by Lieut. James R. Hoyle, U.S.N., who, in addition to duties as naval station at Honolulu, will command the station tug Iroquois.

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In the audience were Prof. G. Wharton James. Photographer C. C. Pierce and other cañon enthusiasts outside the club.

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Linen Club.

The Friday Afternoon Linen Club met at the home of Mrs. J. J. Bilicke yesterday afternoon. There was a business session, and Mrs. Bilicke was elected president; Mrs. B. R. Williams, secretary. Later in the afternoon a social was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

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(Rear of Annex.)

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Even if many of the Art Goods that have come in this week were NOT buyable at far less than real value the showing would be well worth a special trip to see.

$2 TO $3 CENTER PIECES $1—16-inch center pieces, with hand-worked scalloped edges and hand-embroidered poppies, peppers, violets, roses, daisies, forget-me-nots, etc.—one dollar each. Poorest of them worth double, and many of them three times that price. Never mind HOW it happens.

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TEPLETZ WARE—Hand-painted vases and bonbons—rose designs in extremely rich coloring, with handles and finishing in heavy gilt. One and two dollars.

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(Th rd Floor.)

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$5 richly cut glass vases $3.25 each
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Year after year we have demonstrated to you that the finest high-class ready-to-wear garments can be bought here at reasonable prices. Year after year we have clearly maintained that the season's best models are shown here first. This year is no exception; you have been accustomed to look to us for correct wearing apparel, and our intimate connections with the world's greatest style centers enable us to present garments in the height of fashion, at a price range to meet the desires of every seeker.

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Indistinct gray mixture suit; short pony jacket with strap trimmings of same material; vest of fancy ribbon; velvet colar and cuffs; gored circular skirt.

Shadow plaid suit of Alice blue color; Eton jacket with short sleeves; cuffs and collar of taffeta, stitched with white broadcloth and Val. edging; full circular skirt.

Suit of gray plaid; made with short fitted jacket, bias strap trimmed; full sleeves; collar and cuffs of taffeta, with braid trimming; circular gored skirt, with plaited panel front and back.

Suit of dark blue checked Panama; pony jacket with black silk braid trimmings; collar and cuffs of white lace over black taffeta; finished with ruffles of Val. lace; circular skirt.

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A Third and More Below Value

Straight, genuine reductions from the prices we've been getting for their duplicates right up to now—no fictitious values ever figure in Coulter advertisements.

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We've cut the price of one of our very best lines of all-linen handkerchiefs squarely in two—an offering you'll look far to duplicate.

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New Shapes in
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New shapes in hand bags, from $1.50 to $7.50—the price most women want to pay. Some have finger strap handles—the preferred oblong envelope bag; others come in flat Fifth Avenue and Newport styles, with moire or kid linings.

These really elegant bags, in black only, of imitation seal and other leathers, $1.50 and $2.

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Wonders to Attend Coming of Owens Stream, as Told by Silver Tongued "Tom" Fitch at Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

FOLLOWING is the full text of the brilliant address on "The Owens River" by Hon. Thomas Fitch, delivered at the Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday evening, and which has attracted wide attention:

Mr. Toastmaster and gentlemen: The scientists tell us that ages ago, when the ichthyosaurus swarm in Devonian seas, and the mastodon roamed in the antediluvian forests of the Arctic, then the waters of Owens River flowed into San Fernando Valley. But the surrounding mountains were one day attacked by a Japanese jitsu wrestler of the period, a ruffianly earthquake, which dislocated their ribs, and as a result the river was expelled from its lawful bed, and forced to take up with an uncongenial spouse, now called Owens Lake, in whose alkaline arms it has ever since unhappily rested. [Laughter and applause.]

But now engineering science and Los Angeles enterprise and capital have combined to restore the river to its long-lost home, and tonight we celebrate not only the great event of the eighteenth century—the birth of George Washington—but we celebrate also that which is to us the great event of the present century—the inauguration of the Owens River project. [Applause.]

JAWBONE CANYON.

It is a curious coincidence that the first point that will be reached by the river in its journey hither is known by the uneuphonious name of Jawbone Cañon. [Laughter.] But the cañon will not long detain the river, neither will I long trespass upon your patience, for I am mindful of the fact that all I can say for this great enterprise will be inconsequent in comparison with what other men have done and will do for it. In this age of material achievement, the commendation of his fellows comes to a man, not for the passing greatness of the things he says, but for the arduous greatness of the things he does.

CROTON WATER.

One of my earliest recollections is connected with a water celebration. I can remember being held up to a window in a house in New York City to witness the parade that celebrated the introduction of the Croton water there. The metropolis of the western world then contained about the same number of people as are now privileged to call Los Angeles their home. They were then, as you are now, bright and progressive people, but in facilities for traffic and travel, and in the material conveniences and luxuries of life, they were as cave dwellers compared with the present generation. In those days the twin assassins of the highway, the automobile and the trolley car, gave no employment to the Coroner. [Laughter.] Then, when the visitor from the rural districts wished to extinguish the light he did not press a button, but he either snuffed out the candle with moistened fingers, or else climbed upon a chair to blow out the gas. [Laughter.] Then the business man spoke not words of profanity in his office, concerning the gum-chewing hello-girl, who mumbled in his impatient ear the exasperating tidings "line busy." Then the cataracts were unchained, the great rivers were unbridged, and railroads west of the Great Lakes existed not. Then there was not a millionaire west of Buffalo, and but few east of there. Then doctors still relied upon the lancet, clergymen still preached the justice and beauty of infant damnation, and lawyers were then as now, the brightest, kindest, and most honest men in the community. [Laughter.]

In those days I picked blackberries where now the Waldorf-Astoria stands. I visited Barnum's Hippodrome when its tent was reared on the ground now occupied by the Fifth Avenue Hotel, and I carried snipe that my father had shot in the marshes of Harlem, and woodcock that had killed in woods which shaded ground now occupied by sky-scrapers.

THE PRAYING HENS.

The time whereof I speak was, in the language of Pinafore, "when I was young and charming, so many years ago." [Laughter.] I noticed then that the hens, after drinking, always upturned their beaks to the sky. I asked my mother—rest her dear soul—for an explanation, and she told me that after every swallow the birds thus thanked heaven for the sweet water. I concluded that the wise and pious hens took this course in order to secure for themselves first-class accommodations in a future ornithological paradise, and that I might possibly atone for certain shortcomings by following their example. So that evening, at the supper table, when I drank my glass of milk, I turned my face to the ceiling. But the position was not favorable to peaceful deglutition and a portion of the fluid went down the wrong way, while the larger portion was distributed over the table cloth, and I received in consequence, not a fond mother's blessing, but an irate mother's slipper, administered in no homeopathic dose in the place where I usually sit down. [Great laughter.]

Tonight, as I respond to the honor of your invitation to return thanks for the water—which I observe a good many of you are not drinking—let me not make my prayer of gratitude too long lest I merit another spanking.

TO BE NINETY-FOUR.

The spook sharps who rap out your destiny for $1 and upwards, and the palmists who look into the lines of your hand, and tell you more about your past than you care to have known, and more about your future than you can quite believe, will prove true, have informed me that I shall live to reach the age of ninety-four. I hope not to trouble my friends for so long, but if the prediction shall become prophecy, it will ameliorate many of the acerbities of a lengthened sojourn in this world of sin to have been able to witness the Owens River water flowing in our gardens, and to know that when I mount the golden stair I shall be able to flap my angel wings above a busy and beautiful city of two million souls who will then occupy the land hereabouts that stretches between the mountains and the sea. [Applause.]

CITY BORN GREAT.

Who shall dare doubt the future of Los Angeles? It may be said of cities as of men that "some are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them." Boston is an example of the first class, for people went there to be born, or rather their mothers carried them there, because one who is born in Boston does not need to be born again. [Laughter.] Chicago is an example of the second class for she achieved greatness by means of a partnership between a pile-driver and dredging machine. [Laughter.] San Francisco had greatness thrust upon her, for only through the Golden Gate could the mines be reached, and the sea-sick argonauts were in such a hurry to get ashore that they built the city on the wrong side of the bay. Los Angeles owes its present greatness and will owe its future greatness to a fortunate combination of all these elements. It was born great because its site was selected by the old mission padres, who were the wisest real estate sharps in the world. Almost every thriving city in California was once a mission. The fathers located Los Angeles far enough from its embarcadero to escape paying tribute to buccaneers; and they insured its future greatness by placing it at the mouth of rich valleys. It has achieved greatness through the faith and courage of its pioneer citizens, and it has had greatness thrust upon it by competing overland railroads which hastened to gain admisson within its gates, and by capitalists who have filled the vaults of its banks with millions seeking safe and profitable investments, and by the blizzard dodgers and cyclone escapes who throng its streets and fill to repletion the hotels, whose landlords, unlike those of New York and Chicago, "never, never, hardly ever" fulfill the scriptural injunction to remember the stranger and "take him in." [Great Laughter.]

PECULIAR CLIMATE.

Both Buckle and Draper advance the theory that the countries lying within the north temperate zone have developed a superior civilizaton to those of the tropics, because the constant combat that man is compelled to wage with nature in order to maintain existence in northern climes, develops in him qualities which harnessed to the chariots of civilization propel them rapidly along the highway of empire. I once asked Brigham Young, whose lawyer I was for a brief period, why he did not establish his hierarchy in the south sea islands where nobody would interfere with the saintly practice of acquiring inordinate domestic felicity. [Laughter.] "Because," said he, "the Mormon is a snowbird. He will not thrive where the banana grows." Somebody once said that it was fortunate for America that the Pilgrim Fathers landed on Plymouth Rock, for if they had disembarked and settled in the tropics, their preachers would now be attending divine service on Sabbath morning with a prayer book under one arm and a fighting rooster under the other. [Laughter.]

But, if too much heat makes men unenergetic, and too much cold causes them to be over strenuous, what shall be said of the effects of a climate without extremes? I am not intending to go into rhapsodies over so hackneyed a theme as "the glorious climate of California," but I will remark in passing that it is a wonderful harmonizer. The Alaskan who comes down here discards raw whisky and takes claret, and the Mexican who comes up here drops pulque and assimilates highballs.

Well has the poet said "it is not high raised battlements but high-minded men that constitute a state." It is a combination that counts. When you have such a climate and such natural resources as you have here, and add to them such energetic, courageous, broad-minded citizens as are possessed by Los Angeles, then the intrepid, unhalting march of such a city to greatness is as inevitable as the onward progress of the multiplication table. [Cheers.]

LOS ANGELES GETS DESIRES.

The people of this city have always had what they wanted when they wanted it, and they have never "let I dare not wait upon I would" in getting it. Thirty years ago, when there were but 15,000 people here, I was employed by Senator John P. Jones and Col. Robert S. Baker to help boom the then projected town of Santa Monica. We christened it the "Coming City," and in our glowing advertisements we intimated that, being on the ocean, it would, as a commercial city, take the place of Los Angeles on the map. [Laughter.] The solid men of this city did not accept our statement as gospel, but they thought it barely possible that for once a real-estate advertisement might contain the truth, and they did not propose to take any chances, so they attended the auction sale in a body, and bought up the eligible lots in Santa Monica at from $3 to $6 a front foot, and they did not lose by it, for many of those lots would sell now for $100 a front foot, and Santa Monica is still one of the brightest jewels that sparkle on the white neck of the sea between Santa Barbara and San Diego. [Applause.]

Los Angeles wanted railroad communication with the north, and the Southern Pacific Company gave it to her. She wanted to be connected by rail with both the Gulf of Mexico and the City of Mexico, and she secured what she sought. She demanded to be the terminus of a direct road to Chicago, and the Santa Fé sent its locomotive engines here. She called for a direct road to Salt Lake, and Senator Clark—more power to him—answered the call. She wanted an ocean harbor of her own, and Senator White—hail and honor to his memory—placed that priceless jewel upon her brow. [Applause.] She wanted rapid transit between her trade centers and her suburban homes, and Gen. Sherman began, and Henry E. Huntington continued the work of giving it to her. She wanted the greatest Republican newspaper in the country, and Gen. Harrison Gray Otis—long may his indomitable soul inspire his brilliant brain—gave it to her. [Applause.] Now she wants a million-dollar government building, and her Congressman and her Senator will coax and worry and hold up Congress until Speaker Cannon will be delighted to give it to her. [Applause.] Above all, she wants an abundant supply of pure mountain water, and she is going to have it, for she is a daisy and a darling and the angel bride of 250,000 people who can deny her nothing. [Great cheering.]

You have called upon me to respond to the toast of the Owens River "project." The Owens River "project" has passed beyond the "project" stage of its existence. It is no longer a project, but a plan—a well-considered and partially-accomplished plan. It is not a sentimental, unreachable, utopian, long-whiskered idea, such as legislation by mass meetings, and county and State conventions, with the Lord's Prayer and the Golden Rule for a platform, and a regulation of freight rates so that everybody will make money except the railroad companies. It is not an iridescent dream, but a closely-calculated business enterprise, based upon figures of arithmetic, not figures of rhetoric and promoted by capitalists who have the courage of their convictions. [Applause.]

WATER'S COST ELSEWHERE.

The people of New York, of Chicago, and of San Francisco now pay more for water for domestic use than the people of Los Angeles will pay when the Owens River canal shall be completed. The gross receipts of the Spring Valley Water Company of San Francisco last year were over $2,000,000. That is over $5 per annum for every man, woman and child in the city. If there shall be only 500,000 people here in 1911—and that real estate agent who should advertise so small a growth would be disloyal to his calling—then a water tax of $5 per capita would produce a revenue of $2,500,000 per annum, enough to pay all costs of service and the interest on the bonds, and provide a sinking fund for their payment. It is estimated by engineers that the waters of the Owens River will furnish 50,000 horse power for factories and mills and furnaces. If only one-third of this amount is sold, it will add $2,000,000 more to the revenue, and Los Angeles will become a great manufacturing city, with no smoke to cloud the landscape, and no smell to make unpleasant the air. The revenues from all these sources will amount to from $5,000,000 to $8,000,000 per annum, of which 60 per cent. will be profit. This would in a few years extinguish the debt, and after it shall be paid, the revenues from water will go far toward defraying all the expenses of government, and taxes will be lessened, if not dispensed with altogether. The profits of the Owens River enterprise will not go to capitalists, but to all of the people. Municipal ownership will make us all stock holders in the enterprise, and all will share in the result. [Applause.]

VAST INDIRECT PROFITS.

The indirect profits will be enormous. Of the $23,000,000 to be expended, from $15,000,000 to $18,000,000 will be expended for labor. The growth of the city that will be caused by the certainty of an adequate supply will be great and continuous. Hundreds of miles of streets and avenues will be graded and sewered. Many miles of electric roads will be built. Thousands of houses and hundreds of business blocks and dozens of skyscrapers will be erected. The enormous outlay for these purposes will be expended at home, and will go into the pockets of the laborers and mechanics and merchants, and manufacturers and architects and dentists and doctors of the city, and possibly even the lawyers may get some of it. The people who will put their money into the water bonds will be governed by a spirit of Yankee thrift as well as of western enterprise. They will say "Twenty-three millions of dollars is a large sum. That is, it would be a large sum to some communities, but it isn't so much for us, for we've got the population, and we've got the pluck, and we've got the money, too." We are not dependent upon other places—east or north—for the cash to carry the Owens River project; we know that the investment is a safe one; we have the money ready in the vaults of our banks and trust companies, and neither a man, nor a woman, nor a child, nor a bird, nor an animal, nor a bush, nor a tree, nor a garden lawn between the Sierras and the sea, shall go thirsty, if it takes all the money we can raise to give them a drink. [Applause.]

COLORADO RIVER'S ANTICS.

This is the day of the water reservoir and the water ditch. The government of the United States is now engaged in the construction of great reservoirs and canals in the central basin that stretches between the Rockies and the Sierras, and millions of acres now arid will be transformed into fields and orchards. The Colorado River has gone into business on its own account and it is a little overdoing it just now, for it seems to have made up its waterlogged mind to leave rather than live its ancient banks, and to no longer freshen the seas of our sister republic, and, with misguided zeal, it is trying to turn Indio into a seaport. But the Southern Pacific Company is at work on the problem of returning the recreant and wandering waters to their own little bed, and it will probably have its own way about it in the end, as it seems to have had its own way in the matter of freight rates on oranges and in Senatorial elections, and in about everything else, except stopping the construction of San Pedro harbor and the Panama Canal. [Laughter and applause.]

One of the most commendable and marvelous achievements of the gentlemen who have engineered the Owens River project to its present status is the quiet and efficient way in which they dodged the grafters and evaded the "butters-in," and secured a sufficient title to the necessary riparian and other rights without contributing to those blackbirds who hang around great projects as their feathered prototypes hang around a horse's feet in summer for the insects his tread disturbs. [Applause.]

HARBORS OF TWO COASTS.

There are so many elements of growth, so many sources of wealth, so many roads to fortune that will be enhanced, and developed, and opened up by the construction of the Owens River canal, that thrice the time allotted to me would scarcely serve in which to enumerate them. Along the Atlantic Coast line of our country, reaching from Bangor to Galveston, there are thirty natural harbors where the largest sea-going vessels can enter and lie at anchor, while on our Pacific Coast there are but five such harbors—Puget Sound, the Columbia River, San Francisco, San Pedro and San Diego. From each of these harbors ships will sail to and from the Orient. The pioneer of the fleet sailed today. The Pacific Ocean is the ocean of the future, and its vast commerce will enrich those points where transcontinental railroads converge. And when the Panama Canal shall be completed Los Angeles will obtain her full share of the vast commerce that will be developed. [Applause.]

AND ARIZONA.

Then there is Arizona. Congress is not treating her fairly in seeking to force her into a Sabine wedding with New Mexico. In wealth, in population and in resources, each of these Territories is as well entitled to admission as was Idaho, or Wyoming, or Montana, or Utah. But "it is a condition and not a theory" that now confronts the people of Greater Arizona. Half a loaf is better than no bread, and any form of Statehood is better than continued Territorial pupilage. Arizona now has good judges and Territorial officers, but all sorts of eastern political offal may at any time be dumped into her Courthouses. At last the difference between joint Statehood and separate Statehood does not amount to much except to a few ambitious gentlemen who, with modest misgivings as to their own ability, act upon the theory that the smaller the constituency, the better their chances for place.

Let the people of Arizona accept the inevitable that Congress has prepared for them, and proceed to develop the matchless resources of the joint State, and make of her the greatest State, next to California, west of the Rocky Mountains. By the development of Arizona, Los Angeles will profit, for the people of the sun-kissed land will come here in the summer for climate, and will come here at all seasons for mining and agricultural machinery and for hardware and groceries and other supplies. The beautiful and prosperous city by the banks of the Santa Cruz will again be the leading city of Arizona and the Pope of Rome will never again telegraph the Mayor of the ancient and honorable pueblo asking "Where in h—l is Tucson?" [Great laughter.]

BEAUTIFUL CALIFORNIA.

With what wealth of sea and shore, of forest and mine, of field and orchard did the Almighty endow this, His favorite child? Here July suns scorch not and January storms freeze not. Overcoats are an incumbrance in winter and fans an impertinence in summer. There was never a case of sunstroge or of hydrophobia in California. Spring is too busy attending to her flowers to spread any lap for winter to linger in, and autumn never bids winter to get any sleighbells ready. Winter indeed exists only in the almanacs and on the mountain tops. The gardens of Los Angeles know him not. Here nature arrays herself always in lovely toilets and the loveliest of all is her Easter gown. Acres of wild violets and fields of scarlet poppies, Banks of lilies and heliotrope. Hedges of roses. Orange trees on which belated fruit and pearly blossoms may be plucked from the same bough. Forests of redwood and pine in the mountains, Groves of oaks in the valleys, and the bees humming all the year round—thus attired does beautiful and affluent California outstretch her motherly arms to guard the health and happiness of her children. [Applause.]

Will Los Angeles maintain her ratio of growth, or must she divide her kingdom with some rival? A friend of mine in San Francisco exhibited to me the other day a choice collection of paintings. There was a landscape by Corot, and another by Bierstadt, each valued at $2000. There was a portrait by Sir Peter Lelly valued at $10,000 and there was a Virgin and Child by Perugini, valued at $15,000. "Will you," said I, "tell me what it is that gives such enormous values to these pieces of painted canvas?" "It is," replied he, "because Corot and Perugini and Sir Peter Lelly and Bierstadt are dead. There can never be another painting by either of these great artists, while the number of people who are willing and able to purchase their works increases every year as the wealth and the art culture of the world increases."

CLIMATE AGAIN.

There you have the secret of the continued growth of Los Angeles. It is not alone the expansion of her commerce, although that will grow with the completion of the San Pedro harbor, and it will grow more with the completion of the Panama Canal, for then her ships by the hundred will traverse the great ocean eliptic, whose currents course from the Arctic to the Antipodes. It is not alone her agriculture, although with decreased freight rates the product of her orchards will find profitable markets all the way from Denver to London. It is not alone her manufactures although they are growing with the growth and enlarging with the developments of the mining regions of Southern California, of Nevada and of Arizona. Los Angeles will continue to grow because there is but one Los Angeles in all the world, and there can never be another, for when the Almighty gave her to the world he broke the mould in which his masterpiece was fashioned. [Loud applause.]

LOS ANGELES.

Elsewhere in this State there may be found places possessing many advantages similar to those possessed by Los Angeles, but nowhere else will there be found another possessing all of her advantages. Elsewhere you may be able to gather ripe strawberries and pick roses from January to December. Elsewhere you may find harbors without a back country, and back countries without harbors, but nowhere else shall you find both a back country and a harbor, and a city where the ozone of the ocean and the oxygen of the mountains are braided together with sunshine all the year around. If we could pack our climate in boxes and ship it to New York City, every acre of land that we could permanently endow with it would be worth one million dollars—indeed, there are acres in this city that are now worth that amount. Climate and view are as salable as wheat or oranges, only people must come here to obtain and use them. [Applause.]

WATER AND PROGRESS.

In order to preserve your advantages, your far-sighted citizens recognized the need of a preserving medium. Cucumbers will not keep unless they are steeped in vinegar. Meat will not keep unless it is soaked in brine. Cherries will not keep unless they swim in syrup and the beauties of Los Angeles will not keep, or, at least, they will not grow unless you give them plenty of water. If Los Angeles shall ever cease to grow she will begin to die. Movement, either forward or backward, is the inevitable law. The growth of cities here as in all cities will depend upon a growth of population, and a growth of population will depend upon the facilities offered for home-making, and the making of beautiful homes will depend upon the abundance of the water supply. Ten thousand home-builders, each wielding a lawn sprinkler on his own premises, will be worth more to this city both commercially and morally than five times the same number of transient tourists. [Applause.]

THE CLOUD FACTORY.

The people of Los Angeles will never lack for water, for their naemsakes in the skies are ever working for them. The heavenly drawers of water, with ropes of golden sunbeams, dip "their silvery buckets down into the vapory amethyst" that hovers over ocean and lake and river. Thus they lift the raw material for clouds to their workshops in the upper ether. There they weave the white fleeces and load them upon the backs of the winds and send them forth.

The water falls upon the mountains, and thence it seeks natural or artificial channels and under the lash of gravitation it begins its journey to the sea. It comes to us along conduits that cling to the mountain side; it hurries through dark tunnels from which it emerges into the valley and it glints in the sunshine and sings and laughs as it comes. The grasses lift up their drooping heads to welcome it. The heart of the red rose throbs with joy to meet it. The lilies bare their white breasts to its embrace. Garden and lawn, shrub and tree, orchard and meadow, forest and field hail its beneficent presence. [Great cheering.] and all join in a loud acclaim to Eaton, and Lippincott, and Mulholland, and McAfee, and Mathews, and Kelly, and the board of commissioners, and the journalists who wrote articles for it and the capitalists who wrote checks for it [applause] and the Owens River flume will reply:

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[Prolonged applause.]

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SUICIDE OR DISEASE?

Brother of the Mayor of Pueblo, Colo., a Trainer at Ascot, Dies Suddenly.

Ethelbert Brown, aged 58, a horse trainer at Ascot Park, was suddenly taken sick early yesterday morning. At 11 o'clock he was removed to the Emergency and General Hospital, where he died late in the afternoon. Dr. Keyes of the hospital has not as yet signed the death certificate because he does not know what caused the death. There were symptoms which made the doctor suspect suicide, yet he could not be certain. In order to avoid mistakes, he turned the case over to the Coroner and an inquest will be held this morning.

Since coming to this city a year ago Brown had lived a part of the time with his sister, Mrs. G. C. Barton of No. 716 San Julian street. Mrs. Barton knows no reason why her brother should have desired to end his life, and does not believe he did. She stated last night that for years he has been a sufferer from kidney trouble and gave this as a possible cause for his demise. This, also, it is thought, strengthens the suicide theory, as Brown may have become so weary of his suffering that he wished to end it. He was a brother of B. B. Brown, Mayor of Pueblo, Colo., and he formerly resided in Marengo, Ill., leaving that place eight years ago. For several years he had been employed as a trainer by Al Goodin, whose horses are at Ascot.

BOY LONG MISSING.

The whereabouts of Richmond Byers, the son of Dr. S. L. Byers, of Seeleyville, Ind., after a whole year of unavailing search, is still shrouded in mystery. The boy who was 6 years old last July, was abducted from his father's home. A reward of $500 will be paid for the return of the lad and no questions asked, and it is believed he may be in Southern California. Such has been the untiring search conduced by the father that now he is practically penniless, but his friends have gone to his assistance. The boy is described as of light complexion, gray eyes, left eye crossed, has small V-shaped nick in left ear, narrow projecting forehead, is very bright, and talks after the manner of a much older boy.

BLAZE IN THE MORNING.

A small fire, originating from an overheated chimney in a frame store and rooming-house owned by Joe Beismer, at Nos. 330-32 East Pico street, caused damage to the extent of $50 yesterday morning at 1:25 o'clock.

A DIFFERENCE IN LUNGS.

In the Edinburgh University three human lungs lie side by side. One is of an Eskimo and is snow white. In life, this would be ruddy with rich blood. Another is that of a coal-miner and is black. The other is of a town dweller and is a dirty slate gray, as are the lungs of most city residents. That's why consumption thrives in cities.

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BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25.

Mark 2: 1-12; Jesus' Power to Forgive.

THE CONNECTION.

After the busy Sabbath in Capernaum, of which we studied last Sunday, He rested a while and then retired to a quiet place before morning to refresh His spirit by communion with His Father and to give the people a chance to quiet down from their intense excitement over His miracles. He had warned them against becoming too excited to receive spiritual impressions. When the eager disciples found Him next morning in His place of prayer and told Him how the excited people were hunting for Him, He took leave away with Him to other parts of Galilee where they could save the fruits of His teachings and His miracles of mercy. As He went on, teaching and healing, His fame spread and the excitement grew. It was on this visit He healed that leper upon whom He enjoined strict silence, who nevertheless told his glad story everywhere. Now He is back in Capernaum to rest from the strain of excessive work for a time, to enjoy His home for a while, with His mother and sisters and brothers who live there, and to bring still more benefits to His fellow-townsmen. He has found their enthusiasm unabated, for they have been constantly receiving news of His marvelous deeds and of the growing excitement among the people. That was in the spring of A. D. 28, probably the latter part of March, just before the Passover.

THE LESSON.

I.

"Their Desire to Hear." (Verses 1-4.)

And when He entered into Capernaum after some days, it was noised that He was in the house. And many were gathered together, so that there was no longer room for them, no, not so much as about the door, and He spake the word unto them."

(1) His rest. It was of short duration. He seems to have made His home chiefly with His spiritual kindred and His fellow workers. He was probably in Peter's house and kept very quiet. But when one person found it out, the whole city knew it speedily. Curiosity is stronger in orientals than in us and their usages make it possible for neighbors to flock uninvited into anybody's home at any time when a guest and ask him any questions especially where he came from and how long he intends to stay. Even a stranger of importance arrives he is soon in by the dozen.

(2) The Crowd. It gathered quickly. The people had plenty of time, had been feverishly anxious to see Him and had the privilege of going into any private home. It was so that the room was solidly filled with human beings. Some had come from curiosity to see Him; some from a mere love of enchanting scenes, with the hope of hearing an interesting problem solved; some with a real desire to learn of Him; some from sheer love of the man who had healed them when He was there before.

(3) The Enemy. There was a new class of hearers. This was the first they had ever been there in that city. They had been sent by the authorities. These same authorities had heard John preach and rejected him because he dared to say they must repent. They had heard Jesus preach down in Judea during the first year of his ministry and had decided against Him. When he came back about four months before, they thought they were happily rid of Him upon hearing of his rapidly growing popularity up in Galilee and sent men to shadow him with the purpose of putting him out of the way if he was injuring their standing and influence and would soon reform without a following. Moreover, he was really exposing their hypocrisy. They hated him with diabolical malice. Their committee followed him everywhere to poison the minds of the people against him and wait for a word that could be used against him. They were present today for that purpose—not avowedly so. On the contrary they claimed to be friendly listeners and stood in the front row of the crowd.

(4) He at first taught them, for nothing more was needed till they came in with the paralytic. But as the needs of the audience were disclosed to Him, He met them—instruction for inquirers, conviction for sinners, forgiveness and cure for the diseased man and exposure of his stealthy enemies.

II.

"Desire for Health." (Verses 5-4.)

And they come, bringing unto Him one sick of the palsy, borne of four. And when they could not come nigh unto Him for the crowd, they uncovered the roof where He was; and when they had broken it up, they let down the bed whereon the sick of the palsy lay."

(5) The Four Men. They believed He could cure their friend, for they had heard of His other cures in Capernaum or witnessed some of them. There was the conspicuous faith and love to the cure. Upon them was His reliance for knowledge of the healing power to reach Him and eloquence to plead with Him. They furnished almost everything.

(6) Their Triumph Over Difficulties. There was the difficulty of reaching Him, but they soon overcame that, taking the man on his pallet, each taking a corner, right up the steps, on the outside of the house to the roof, removing the tiling and letting him down at the feet of Jesus. The sympathetic owner of the house had no objections, we may be sure. There might have been obstacles in the man's unwillingness to be brought, but at any rate, they are the heroes of the hour.

III.

"Sins Forgiven." (Verses 5-12.)

(7) Jesus' Insight bestowed. 5-12. And Jesus seeing their faith saith unto the sick of the palsy, Son, thy sins are forgiven. But there were certain of the scribes sitting there, and reasoning in their hearts, Why doth this man thus speak? He blasphemeth; who can forgive sins but one, even God? And straightway Jesus, perceiving in his spirit that they so reasoned within themselves, saith unto them, Why reason ye these things in your hearts? Whether is it easier to say to the sick of the palsy, Thy sins are forgiven; or to say, Arise, take up thy bed and walk? But that ye may know that the Son of Man hath power on earth to forgive sins (He saith to the sick of the palsy,) I say unto thee, Arise, take up thy bed and go into thy house. And he arose, and straightway took up his bed, and went forth before them all; insomuch that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, We never saw it on this fashion."

(8) The man did have faith by this time, though we are not told so, and each of his friends was the great factor in the incident. Jesus cannot bestow spiritual blessing without faith in Him. Their faith had risen at least a degree of it in His favor.

(9) His deadliest disease was sin and his surest need was pardon. Jesus knew men's bodies in order that He might heal or enrich their souls and their need was the more important, by how much the man felt that disease we know not, but we know that it is a degree. The very presence of Jesus would awaken the sense of sin. Probably his sickness was the result of his debaucheries and in that case he would instantly feel his guilt. Whether he knew it or not Jesus knew that there is some connection between sickness and sin and that it is more important to be forgiven than to be healed. Jesus generally healed the body first and then the soul, but He seems here to intend to do both at once, or one right after the other. In that particular case He associated the two healings, because paralysis is a good symbol of sin and probably because it was in that case, the result of a sensual life.

(4.) Jesus meets opposition. Just as He pronounces the words, the committee from His enemies break in. They do not speak, but they are boiling with rage and Jesus perceives it. He saw it on their faces and read it in their hearts, as in an open book. The motive of their opposition was ignorant jealousy. The point of their objection was that He, a man, was assuming the exclusive prerogative of God, which would be blasphemy. If He had been only a man, they would have been justified in opposing Him. He meets that charge clearly, triumphantly and exposes them. He does this by reading their secret thoughts aloud to them, thereby showing that He was more than a man, though He does not seem to have indicated to the others who those opposers were. He does not seem to have indicated to the "Son of Man" rather than a mere man, for of course a mere man could not forgive sins. He claims to have power to actually forgive sins, not simply to declare them forgiven, as we may do when we know that the conditions of forgiveness are complied with He meets the charge by forgiving and healing the man, before their eyes. The proof of His divine power is irrefragible. The miracle on the man's body could be tested by the eye, and that would prove the miracle in his soul. He gave the man the better things first, while he gave the enemy the better proof first. The healing proves His claim and that compels belief in the forgiveness of his sins. Besides the man himself was conclusive proof to a reasonable person that he was forgiven—the look on his face and his subsequent life. To forgive sin is to send it way, from God's record, from God's heart, from the man's heart. Blessed release!

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

He adopts a method of self-designation or self-revelation, which, from its very peculiar character, is one of the most striking proofs that could be given of His unique nature. It is this: He chose a title which, in its simplest meaning, was the Hebrew synonym for man, but in its literary application, was identified with the promised Deliverer. Determined to check all the false and materialistic hopes which clustered about the name, Messiah; determined to gain recognition and moral claims which were the very essence of His work; determined, therefore, to show Himself only to those who had eyes to see, and at all costs to avoid a premature recognition from those who were spiritually unsuitable He called Himself by the designation, Son of Man.—[Horton.

Large allowances are to be made for the Greek in Plato, the Roman in Epictetus, before we can learn of them. Each and all are the sons of their tribe and century, not of all mankind and all time. But who will point out the Jewish warp in any word or institution of Jesus? In the new man which is after His image there can not be Greek and Jew, circumcision and uncircumcision, barbarism, Scythian, bondman, freeman, but Christ is all, and in all, something of Him represented by each, all of them concentrated in Him. He alone speaks to all men without any foreign accent, and He alone is recognized and understood as widely as the voices of nature, as the sigh of waves and breezes and the still endurance of the stars.—[Chadwick.

POINTS TO IMPRESS.

1. That Jesus is always at the service of those who need Him.
2. That next to having Him the greatest blessing is to have good friends.
3. That our knowledge and faith must always be at the service of others.
4. That health of soul is the most desirable health.
5. That Jesus alone has the power to forgive sins.
6. That most of our blessings have come to us through others.
7. That Christ expects us to bring others to Him.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

A JAPANESE HERO.

Terse Comments Upon the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topic of the Young People's Societies, Christian Endeavor, Baptist Young People's Union, Epworth League, etc., for February 25: "Neesima, and Missions in Japan."—Isa. L, 4-10.

By William T. Ellis.

Neesima is one of the great names in the history of modern Japan, as well as in the history of missions. He was not only an eminent patriot, but he was an eminent Christian also. The romantic story of his life is summarized thus in The Sunday-school Times by the well-known missionary authority, Robert E. Speer:

Joseph Hardy Neesima was born in Tokio, or Yeddo, as it was called, on February 12, 1843. He belonged to a Samurai family, and was a retainer of the Prince Itakura. He early became dissatisfied with conditions in Japan, and from a historical geography of the United States in Chinese, written by Dr. Bridgman, one of the early missionaries in China, and from a Chinese Bible history which a friend possessed, he conceived the idea of coming to America and learning there more perfectly the Christian principles which he believed were the great need of his land. "I thought a mere material progress will prove itself useless," he wrote, "so long as their morals are in such a deplorable state. Japan needs a moral reformation more than mere material progress, and my purpose was more strengthened to visit a foreign land." Japanese subjects, however, were not allowed to go abroad then, and the boy ran away, securing passage in an American ship from Hakodate to Shanghai. At Shanghai happily he was transferred to one of the ships of Alpheus Hardy, the Christian merchant of Boston, and reached Boston in 1865.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy, after some hesitation, decided to educate him, and put him in Phillips' Academy, Andover. From Andover he went to Amherst College, and then to Andover Theological Seminary, and was there when the Iwakura embassy, as it was called, came to America from Japan. This was the great embassy sent by the Emperor to study western institutions. Its report marked a new era in Japan. When the embassy heard of Neesima it summoned him and invited him to accompany it. He feared first that this might make him a servant of the Mikado rather than of Christ, but Mr. Hardy encouraged him to accept, and his work with the embassy enabled him to show these men what real Christianity is, and to make friendships which were of the greatest value to him. He was invited to return to serve the government, but declined, and in 1874 went back as a missionary evangelist under the American board.

In Japan he founded the Doshisha College. For fifteen years he worked, and then, in 1890, the earnest life ended. The outburst of sorrow showed how deep was the impress he had made as a simple, fearless, faithful Christian man upon the nation and its life. From every class and rank tributes came to his work and character. Four thousand people thronged to the funeral. The students allowed no other hand to touch him. They prepared the grave, and bore the body. The little boy who had run away from Japan twenty-four years before, had become one of the remakers of his country.

On setting forth as a missionary to Japan, Neesima said: "I expect to meet some difficulties and trials, yet I shall count it all joy, not only to believe in Christ, but also to suffer for His name."

A few years ago, when the writer was standing by Neesima's grave upon the heights above the great city of Kyoto, a well-dressed Japanese, not a Christian, stopped before the simple stone which marks the resting place, and, after clapping his hands after the manner of worship in the Shinto temples, bowed himself low and appeared to be muttering a prayer. We stood in silence, and when the prayer was ended, a missionary stepped to the worshiper and asked him if he had ever known Mr. Neesima. "No," was the reply, "but he did so much for Japan, and especially for my son, who was once his pupil, that I come here whenever I can, and pray to his spirit."—[Rev. James L. Barton, D.D.

Revenge and "no quarter" were the doctrines of old Japan; but new Japan, aroused by the example of Christian nations, and inspired by the teachings of the Bible, now heartily supports the Red Cross Society, a Christian institution with a distinctively Christian banner.—[Ernest W. Clement.

The Prime Minister of Japan, Count Kasura, recently spoke as follows concerning Christianity in that country: "The Japanese Christians are not confined to any one rank or class. They are to be found among the National Diet, the judges in the courts, the professors in the universities, the editors of the leading secular papers, and the officers of the army and navy. Christian literature has entrance into the military and naval hospitals, and a relatively large number of the trained nurses employed in them are Christian women. Recently arrangements have been made by which six American and British missionaries and six Japanese Christian ministers are to accompany the armies in Manchuria, in the capacity of spiritual advisers to the Christian soldiers."

The 200,000 Christians of Japan have in hand about one-fourth of all the regularly organized benevolent institutions of the land.

NEWS AND NOTES.

In the new British House of Commons there will be thirteen Hebrews.

As a result of the Welsh revival, four denominations in that country report an increase of 52,500 members.

Thousands of persons were unable to gain admission to the opening services of the present Torrey-Alexander Mission in Philadelphia.

Bishop Doane of Albany recently invited Rev. Hugh Black, the Scotch Presbyterian preacher and author, to preach for him—a rather unusual procedure in the Protestant Episcopal church.

Sunday-schools and young people's societies in the United States made Washington and Lincoln's birthdays occasions for special good-citizenship and home-missionary services.

Lutherans in Philadelphia have a "hospice" for young men, similar to those common in Europe. It is designed to be a high-grade Christian home for young men without home ties in the city.

The deaconess movement in the Protestant Episcopal, Methodist Episcopal and Lutheran bodies has now extended to the Presbyterian churches, and there is a Presbyterian Deaconess' Training School in Baltimore.

It has been remarked that while the various physical-culture fads which recently had great vogue, have generally declined, the Y. M. C. A. gymnasiums are better attended than ever.

Nearly four years ago the Five Years' meeting of Friends issued to the various Christian bodies of the country a call for a conference on the liquor traffic to be held in Washington next month. So little interest was shown in the project by the larger denominations that the project has been abandoned.

Instead of hindering the cause of church union, the stubborn antagonism of the "Wee Frees" of Scotland to the creation of the United Free Church has awakened widespread discussion of the possibility of a union of the United Free Church of Scotland with the Established Church of Scotland, which is also Presbyterian. This union would practically require the disestablishment of the latter body.

Two distinguished denominational leaders have died within the past few days, the first being Rev. Dr. G. Montfort of Cincinnati, at the age of 95 years. Dr. Montfort had been a leader in Presbyterian journalism for seventy years. The other death is that of the noted Lutheran theologian, educator and author, Rev. Dr. Milton Valentine, for nearly forty years president of either the Pennsylvania College or the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, Pa. Dr. Valentine was 81 years old.

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, 522 SOUTH Olive st. (near all the leading hotels.) the Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D.D., dean and rector. Services, 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m.; 7:45 p.m. Young People's meeting, 6:45 p.m. The rector will preach. Subjects: morning, "Social Repentance;" evening, "The Significance of Lent." The Sacrament of Baptism will be administered at the evening service. Strangers are invited to tarry for a moment that the rector may make their acquaintance.

Lenten services: Ash Wednesday, 7:30 and 10:30 a.m.; children's service, 3:30 p.m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:45 p.m. Daily celebration of the Holy Communion, 7:30 a.m.; Tuesdays, evening prayer and address, 4 p.m.; Wednesdays, children's service, 3:30 p.m.; evening prayer and sermon-lecture, 7:45 p.m.; Thursdays, celebration of the Holy Communion, 10 a.m.; evening prayer and address, 4 p.m.; Fridays, evening prayer and sermon-lecture, 7:45 p.m. A cordial invitation to attend these services of Sacrament, prayer, praise and preaching is extended to all people. 25

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Hope near Ninth, seats free. Rev. Wm. Horace Day, pastor, Rev. W. P. Day, D.D., pastor emeritus. Mr. Walter F. Skeele, dean of music University of Southern California, organist. Harry Clifford Lott, choir master, 11 a.m. Rev. Wm. Horace Day will preach, 7:30 p.m. Rev. O. H. Miller of Washington, D. C., will speak on "Good Tidings from the National Capital." Mr. Miller is legislature superintendent of the National Temperance Society.

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of Tenth and Figueroa streets. The pastor, Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., will preach tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning subject, "Invasion and Conquest," setting forth an arduous but grateful task. Evening, "The Chance of the Average Man," a sermon for the "eight-tenths." Strangers cordially invited. The chorus choir will assist at the evening service. 24

THE LOS ANGELES FELLOWSHIP, Benjamin Fay Mills, permanent minister, will speak at Masonic Hall at 11 o'clock on "The God Within," and at 7:30 o'clock on "The Real Contention of Organized Labor." At 12:30 p.m., Mrs. Mills will speak on "The Everlasting Yea." Music by Miss Helen Tappe, soprano, and Alfred E. Walper, violinist. The public is invited. Sunday-school at 9:30.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, FLOWER ST. between Seventh and Eighth. Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Dr. Stephen A. Northrop. Morning topic: "How to Warm the Heart." Evening topic, "The Greatest Story in the Bible." Seats free. All cordially welcomed. 24

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, Washington and Santee sts. Rev. H. W. Crabbe, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHURCH IN their new chapel, 1265 South Hope street, J. Hudson Ballard, pastor, Sunday services, Bible school, 9:30; preaching, 11 a.m.; young people, 6:30; evening meeting, 7:30 p.m. Mid-week prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH, HOPE AND 11th st. Sunday-school 9:30 a.m.; preaching by pastor, Rev. A. C. Smither at 11 a.m., upon "The Why of the Gospel," and at 7:30 upon "The Books Opened." Good music. All invited. Seats free. 25

WESTLAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 1020 Union ave. Preaching 11 a.m., subject, "Am I My Brother's Keeper," by pastor, Rev. W. D. Landis. Evening service by Miss Lucy Ketchum, subject, "Alaska as a Missionary Field." All welcome.

CENTRAL AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL Church, Paloma and 28th st. N. L. Rowell, D. D., pastor. Morning, "The Tithing System." Evening, "Noah Entering the Ark." Central-ave. or Griffith-st. cars. Strangers welcomed.

WESTLAKE METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church, corner West 8th and Burlington. W. H. Rider, pastor, Subject of the morning sermon, "An Old Word With A New Meaning." Evening, "The Sufficiency of The Scriptures."

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Sixth and Wall sts. Preaching at 11 a.m. by Rev. P. F. Bresee. Mass holiness meeting at 3 p.m. Preaching at 7:30 p.m. by Rev. C. V. Lafontaine.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church, South, corner Ninth st. and Grand ave. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. F. Ryland at 11 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock. All welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, DR. NORTHrup's subject: "How to Name the Heart and the Greatest Bible Story." Tourists, traveling men and young men, royally welcomed.

MISSION BAPTIST CHURCH, TEMPERance Temple, Broadway and Temple st. Service at 11. C. Carey Willett, pastor; only Baptist Church on north side. A people's church. 25

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN, WEST 36TH AND Main. Rev. W. S. Young, D.D., pastor. Services as usual, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Pneumonia.

This is one of the most dangerous, and often fatal, diseases. It always results from a cold or from an attack of the grip. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy quickly cures these diseases and counteracts any tendency towards pneumonia. It is made especially for these and similar ailments.—[Adv.

TATOOED WOOERS.

Igorrote Pair Who Seek Licens to Wed Cannot Answer Questions, but Love Finds a Way.

Miss Geetano, a modest little Igorrote girl of uncertain age, with streaks of blue tattoo lining her nose and each cheek, entered the matrimonial bureau at the Courthouse yesterday, coyly following Mr. Maklan, an Igorrote dandy, dressed in his Sunday clothes. Over his right ear a tiny straw cap was cocked coquettishly. He also was tattoed. Miss Geetano was chaperoned by an antique of the Igorrote tribe, known as "Mammy" Antero. An interpreter completed the party, which sought a license for the two first-named.

Neither applicant could answer a single one of the questions required by law and it appeared that the license could not issue. Finally County Clerk Keyes discovered a provision in the code that relieved the situation. The section referred to provides that where two persons of adult age have been living together for one year or over that they may be married by a clergyman, without the formality of a license, but that the marriage shall be recorded in the usual way.

Rev. W. A. Irwin, the old "marrying chaplain," expected to tie the knot, but it was explained that the pair were in no hurry. The groom was to entertain his bachelor friends at a supper of spotted dog for the last time last night, and this afternoon the marriage will take place with due eclat.

Hotel Del Monte.

Your California trip will not be complete unless you plan to stop at this famous resort on your way to San Francisco. City office, 334 South Spring street.

$1.50 Metal Hand Bags 75c

Large size hand bags; fancy closely woven mesh in highly polished plain frames; extra long gold plated link chain handle; worth $1.50. On sale Saturday at 75c.

"SOMETHING DOING" The 5th STREET Store

BROADWAY & 5th LOS ANGELES. STEELE-FARIS & WALKER CO.

$1.50 Leather Hand Bags 98c

New leather hand bags, made from good walrus, seal and morocco; lined and fitted inside; all the latest shapes; well made and durable; worth $1.50. On sale Saturday at 98c.

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY SALE

Two Lots—All Best Makes

250 DOZEN CHILDREN'S HOSE—In fine and coarse ribbed styles; fast black, full seamless cotton; made with double knees, soles and heels; not a better wearing stocking made to sell for 15c. On sale Saturday, a pair 10c

WOMEN'S HOSE—In silk embroidered effects; full seamless cotton hose; fast black; a regular 15c quality. On sale Saturday, a pair 15c

FAST BLACK CHILDREN'S HOSE—In cotton or lisle thread; seamless, full regular hose; strongly made and a stocking that will give good service; 25c to 35c quality. On sale Saturday, a pair, at 19c

6 Pairs for $1.00.

WOMEN'S IMPORTED HOSE—Cotton and lisle thread; Hermsdorf black; hand embroidered silk in a variety of pretty patterns; regular 35c quality. On sale Saturday, a pair 25c

50c Sheets 39c

Ready made sheets; size 72x90; torn and ironed and made from standard quality sheeting; worth 50c. On sale Saturday, each, 39c

85c Damask 59c

72 and 70 inch table damask; bleached and unbleached; pure Irish linen; exclusive patterns with open borders; regular 85c quality. On sale Saturday, a yard, at 59c.

25c Voiles and Hopsacking 9c

Voiles, hopsacking, tangle tissue and flake suitings; all colors; makes up into stylish spring dresses; values to 25c. On sale Saturday, a yard, at 9c.

15c Crepoline Francaise 10c

This season's popular fabric; new colorings; a cloth that makes pretty sheer shirt waists and dresses; regular value 15c. On sale Saturday, a yard, at 10c.

Basement Shoe Stock GOING FAST

Get In On These Values Saturday

This department to be moved to main floor soon. The best values in town shown here. All best makes of footwear.

WOMEN'S SHOES, in kid leather; lace styles; patent leather tips; extension or light weight soles; worth $2.00. On sale Saturday, a pair, at... $1.39

DRESS SLIPPERS, made of best patent leather; hand turned soles; strap or bow at instep; well made and comfortable; worth $2.00. On sale Saturday, a pair..... $1.00

WOMEN'S OXFORDS, made of patent colt and kid stock; have ribbon ties; hand welted soles; latest styles and new lasts; worth $3.00. On sale Saturday, a pair..... $2.50

MEN'S SHOES, made of fine soft kid stock or patent colt leather; hand welted soles; strongly sewed; button or lace; worth $3.00. On sale Saturday, a pair, at..... $2

MEN'S SHOES, made of good grade kangaroo calf leather, ½ double oak soles, strongly sewed; shoes that will give the most hard wear for a $2.00 shoe. On sale here Saturday, a pair..... $1.45

WOMEN'S OXFORDS, made with hand welted soles; strongly made women's oxfords in all sizes; made from fine soft kid stock; patent leather tips; worth $2.50. On sale Saturday, a pair..... $1.95

WOMEN'S SHOES, made from fine soft kid or patent kid leather; dull gnat tops; button or lace styles; worth $3.50. On sale Saturday, a pair, at..... $2.45

Clever Skirts $1.98 Worth $4.38

Made from fancy suitings in green, brown and gray; some have plaited panels and others are trimmed with self strapping and buttons; serviceable skirts; worth $4.48. On sale Saturday $1.98.

$6.48 Walking Skirts $3.98

Made of all wool English suitings, serge and Panama; all the most popular colors; some plainly tailored; others plaited effects; stylish, up-to-date skirts; worth $6.48. On sale Saturday, each, $3.98.

$30 Axminster Rugs $21.50

Handsome new 9x12-feet heavy Axminster rugs; rich floral and Oriental designs; worth $30.00. On sale Saturday, each, $21.00.

$6 Steel Couches $4.48

Made with solid steel frames; heavy steel wire tops; can be adjusted to single, 3-4 or full size bed; makes nice couch for cosy corner; worth regularly $6.00. On sale Saturday $4.48.

$10 Lace Curtain Ends $1.48

Travelers' samples of Irish point, Brussels net and French novelty curtains; full width and 1½ yards long; full length curtains like these are worth up to $10. On sale Saturday at $1.48 pair.

$1.25 Lace Curtain Stretchers 98c

Adjustable for curtains to 6 feet wide and 12 feet long; non-rusting nickel plated brass pins; strongly made wood frames; come early for these Saturday.

Men's Black Sateen Shirts .49c—Worth 69c

Cut full and long; have good length sleeves and soft collars; seams covered and double stitched; made with deep yoke; good 69c values. On sale Saturday at 49c.

Men's Hose 12½c

Fast black with double soles and heels and all white feet; some plain tan colored hose in the lot; best wearing hose made; 300 dozen in all. Go on sale Saturday at 12½c.

50c Men's Neckwear 25c

Comes in all the latest styles and in dark, medium and light colors; four-in-hands and tecks; well made; all 50c quality. On sale Saturday at 25c.

50c Men's Suspenders 25c

Union Made

Glendale Home Best of All

The best foothill town near Los Angeles, with plenty of good mountain water, good schools, churches, car service, 25 minutes to city and no extra charge for telephone service to city.

THE GLENDALE ORANGE GROVE TRACT

Within one block of the stores, and a nice part of the town, with beautiful homes already built across the street from the tract. Large lots with full bearing orange trees, best of soil and cement walks, and curb all around the tract. Prices very reasonable, $350 and up on easy terms. Water piped to every lot. Free transportation to see the property.

McKOON & METCALF, 519 Grant Building, City

J. H. HURIN, 432 Stimson Building, City

R. A. BLACKBURN, At Glendale, End of Car Line

Free Excursion Today to

Carmelita

on Redondo Electric R. R., Inglewood Branch.

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Cement curbs, sidewalks, streets graded, water piped.

A charming place for homes.

Buy a lot and get the increase.

Free round-trip tickets all day at 701 West Seventh Street. T. WIESENDANGER.

San Bernardino and Orange.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

LEGS CRUSHED BY FREIGHT CAR.

SAN BERNARDINO SWITCHMAN FALLS UNDER TRAIN.

George Durbin Drops from Top of Freight and Is So Injured That Amputation Was Resorted to at the Santa Fe Hospital in This City Where He Was Taken.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George Durbin, a Santa Fé switchman, was seriously injured in the yards here tonight by falling from the top of a freight car and rolling under a train. His legs were so badly crushed that amputation was necessary, and in an unconscious condition he was hurried to Los Angeles.

At the Santa Fé Hospital in Los Angeles at midnight it was reported that Durbin's condition was good and that his chances of recovery were fair.

SAYS PAPERS "KNOCK."

At the Board of Trade meeting tonight James H. Boyd made a roar against frequent statements in the Los Angeles papers concerning the removal of the Santa Fé shops to Los Angeles. In his talk he charged the correspondents with responsibility for the reports, and also alleged erroneous news items sent out. A committee was appointed at Boyd's suggestion to visit the Los Angeles papers and make formal complaint. The committee is composed of Boyd, G. A. Atwood and W. S. Conger.

REDLANDS.

UPPER VALLEY NOTES.

REDLANDS, Feb. 23.—The Newport Lumber Company has been sold to a number of Redlands capitalists, of which L. E. Kiefhaber is the head. Mr. Kiefhaber will be president of the new company, to be known as the Kiefhaber Lumber Company, which will be capitalized for $50,000, with $30,000 paid up.

George Lawson, the professional golfer and instructor in that game at the Redlands Country Club, yesterday made a new record of 34 on the local links. Mr. Lawson made the rounds in 35 strokes last year. The amateur record is held by John W. Wilson of this city.

R. W. Hanson's fine bird dog, which recently was bitten by a bulldog, was shot yesterday. Ever since being injured the dog has been ill, refusing to eat, and finally he began frothing at the mouth, when it was deemed dangerous to let him live.

The Redlands Blue Rock Club held its first tournament shoot on the club grounds yesterday. On account of the rainy weather the crowd was not so large as it would otherwise have been. Mont P. Chubb won the honors of the day, getting away with several of the best prizes. Charles Lukens won the Peters trophy, killing 24 out of 25, while Mr. Chubb was a close second with 23. The merchandise trophies were taken by Mont P. Chubb, C. F. Hershey, Charles Lukens, Charles Hershey and M. F. Pierce. The highest percentages made during the tournament by those who participated in all events were made by Chubb, 85; Lukens, 82; Hershey, 71. There were thirteen participants in all.

COLTON.

FIRST BANQUET A "HIT."

COLTON, Feb. 23.—The first annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce last evening was a great event, and the first of the kind ever held in Colton. The banquet was spread in the dining-room of the new Anderson Hotel, a hostelry in which Colton feels much pride. Over one hundred people were seated at the beautifully decorated tables, among them guests from San Bernardino, Redlands, Riverside, Rialto, Bloomington, San Pedro and Los Angeles.

Young ladies of the city, dressed as Colonial Dames, waited on the tables. The programme was a long one, the banqueteers lingering at the tables until after 2 o'clock a.m.

An orchestra furnished music during the early part of the evening.

Among those who spoke were: C. B. Morris, Judge F. P. Oster, D. Johnston, Superintendent H. V. Platt of Los Angeles, John Brown, Jr., Judge B. F. Bledsoe, Hon. Miguel Estudillo of Riverside, Mayor J. J. Suess of Redlands, Prof. George A. Gitmer, C. Fuller, Hon. George M. Curtis of Bloomington, E. J. Eisenmayer.

Remarks were also made by Supervisor J. B. Glover of Redlands, C. B. Hamilton of Colton, Judge L. M. Sprecher of San Bernardino, E. D. Roberts of San Bernardino, Kenneth MacRae of Rialto, G. A. Atwood of San Bernardino, C. R. Paine of Highland and William Buxton of Rialto.

RAILROAD OFFICIAL ARRIVES.

Second Vice-President of the Rock Island System H. U. Mudge and wife arrived last evening by private car on the Southern Pacific and are guests at the home of Mrs. Mudge's father Capt. Morris. Their home is in Chicago, and they will make a short stay in Colton while on a western trip.

Saturday afternoon will be the ladies' afternoon at the Anderson. Nearly two hundred persons have accepted invitations. A programme will be rendered in the parlors after the five-course luncheon is served in the dining-room.

HUNTINGTON BEACH.

BAPTIST CHURCH ASSURED.

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Feb. 24.—Rev. G. N. Gardner received the word yesterday that makes the new home to which the Baptist people have been looking forward, an assured fact. The building, to cost $3000, will be placed on the lots owned by the denomination on the corner of Sixth and Orange. Work will begin immediately and will be completed by May 1.

The Chautauqua building that is being put up by the Methodists is progressing fast since the seven large arches are in place. The corner-stone will be laid some time during the first week in March.

A pumping plant will be installed at the Borchard place north of town, so that the 2000 acres of mesa land in that locality will be watered.

The mesa north of Huntington Beach, containing 4000 acres, has been sown to grain, and is doing nicely. It will bring three tons of hay and a ton and half of grain to the acre.

Pete Brush of Wintersburg has sold his forty-acre ranch to the Golden West Celery Company. The purchase price is said to be $14,000.

M. B. Mills of New York, J. U. Westcott of Detroit, Mich., and John Diggan of Los Angeles, were here this week. Mr. Mills is a man distinguished in finance, politics, and sport. He carries with him a Lipton pin, presented to him by Sir Thomas as being the best yachtsman on the Great Lakes.

New chef at "Hotel del Coronado."

ANAHEIM.

COUNTY LINE SHIFT TALK.

ANAHEIM, Feb. 23.—The Chamber of Commerce of this city is taking preliminary steps to interest all of Orange county in the matter of inviting Whittier, Los Nietos, Downey, Norwalk, Artesia and other sections adjoining the county line to come into Orange county when Los Angeles county and city consolidate.

It is announced on reliable authority that some of the residents in each of these districts favor joining hands with Orange county on account of the low tax rate here. The Anaheim Chamber of Commerce has just received word from Whittier that a meeting will be held in that city Thursday evening, March 1, to consider the consolidation. A large committee from Orange county will be in attendance, and will urge the Quaker City residents to cast their lot with this county, should it sever its connection with Los Angeles county at the time of consolidation.

ANAHEIM BRIEFS.

Thomas Scott, who has been assistant postmaster during the past six years, will sever his connection with the office March 1, and will leave for Perris, where he will enter the railway service.

Mrs. Charles Curtis, aged 21, wife of the rural mail carrier on route No. 1, at Fullerton, died at her home in that city last night after a short illness.

Don't miss the white sale at Asher & Falkenstein.

The best place? Why, Coronado.

CORONA.

HIGH SCHOOL BOND ISSUE.

CORONA, Feb. 23.—The Board of School Trustees is about to call an election for a $35,000 bond-issue for purchasing a site, erecting and fitting up a High School, and improving and beautifying the grounds.

The bonds will run at 5 per cent. The election which will be the third trial for a High School, will be held sometime in March.

FIX MUNICIPAL SLATE.

The Board of Trade took an initial step last evening toward securing good men for the city government. The board's delegation and those selected from the outside met and made up the slate for the different offices to be filled at the municipal election in April, the following candidates to be put in nomination at a caucus set for March 5: Clerk, H. A. Wood, Charles Scoville; marshal, B. M. Tucker, W. L. Lyman; treasurer, J. L. Merriam; trustees for long term: A. C. Wood, W. J. Pentelow, C. H. Birdsall, A. B. Tuthill, O. P. Hull, H. H. Holmes; trustees for short term: William Corkhill and F. M. Bender.

BUY TENTS FOR GROVES.

The Corona Fumigating Company, representing over eighty acres of citrus groves, has expended $875 to purchase eighteen tents to care for its own groves. The number of the tents will be doubled in the spring. J. Bradford, who is managing the business, has associated with him. Dr. M. B. Huff, L. R. Nichols, C. D. Fanton, I. H. Cone, W. N. Tilson, Henry Mietzsch, the Misses Platt and Miss Lillian Lewis.

CORONA CULLINGS.

City Engineer Arthur B. White has come out as a candidate for county surveyor.

The City Trustees have fixed the water rate at the same as last year. The auditing committee made a favorable report on the clerk's and treasurer's books.

Corona Aerie No. 1310 has a live eagle to carry in parades on gala days.

COACHELLA.

SALT WORKS OVERHAULED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

COACHELLA, Feb. 22.—The machinery belonging to the New Liverpool Salt Company's works at Salton was removed last week to Los Angeles, by William E. Drury, the salt company's superintendent. The machinery will be overhauled and repaired for resuming operations as soon as the waters of Salton Sea are sufficiently evaporated. The capacity of the company's plant will be greatly enlarged, and about twice as many men will be employed when work is resumed. It was necessary to remove the machinery from the packing-house of the Coachella Valley Producers' Association at Thermal, where it has been stored all winter, on account of the approaching melon season, when the packing-house will be needed.

COACHELLA IN BRIEF.

Cantaloupe planting on a large scale has been hastened by the recent heavy rains, which have been sufficient to sprout the seeds and get the young plants above ground before irrigation will be required. Most melon planting will be finished by March 15.

Nearly as important as the cantaloupe industry is the grape industry. About 500 acres are now in vineyard as both the rooted vines and the cuttings of the Malagas have been distributed.

The 265-acre tract belonging to James Causey is being cleared of mesquite and some of it is already planted to cantaloupes.

A party of government surveyors arrived at Salton last week to survey that section of the valley.

Hotel del Coronado, society resort.

ELSINORE.

PLAY A MATCH GAME.

ELSINORE, Feb. 23.—A match game of baseball was played Thursday between Elsinore and Hemet, on the Elsinore diamond. A good-sized crowd witnessed the defeat of the home team. The Hemet young people were given a good time while in Elsinore, a dance at the Bank Hall following the ball game in the evening.

The Elsinore Realty Company has sold the residence and adjoining small cottage on Langstaff street, belonging to Capt. W. E. Hoffman, to Miss Meek, niece of Capt. L. B. Peck; consideration named, $2000. Miss Meek and her mother came recently from the East with the intention of spending a year in California. They will probably now make Elsinore their future home.

Among Lakeview Hotel arrivals yesterday and today were: R. Johnson, J. B. Cook, Thomas Russell, J. R. Badgley, A. L. Vaughan, J. M. Shiner, G. Parson, James Hill, Los Angeles; John L. Eby, Dawson, Y. T.

Hotel del Coronado greatly improved.

SANTA BARBARA.

INJURED IN A RUNAWAY.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 23.—Dick Burcell, who resides at No. 236 West De la Guerra street, was seriously injured this morning in a runaway. He was hauling lumber on West Cañon Perdido street, when his horses became frightened at the rattle of loose boards and ran away. He remained in the wagon until the team struck a bridge that spans Mission Creek, where where he was thrown out and injured under the falling boards and wagon wheels. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the Cottage Hospital, where his wounds were examined by Dr. Morrey, who found that his left arm was broken above the elbow. His nose was also broken, a long gash was cut in his head, and he was otherwise bruised and injured. He will be confined to his bed for several weeks, but his injuries are not supposed to be fatal.

NEW RAILROAD HOTEL.

A two-story hotel is the latest proposed improvement for Santa Barbara. C. Edwards of San Luis Obispo was in the city yesterday and looked over several sites in the eastern part of the city for the new hostelry. His plan is to erect a substantial brick structure to cost approximately $8000. It is to be a railroad eating and lodging-house, and will probably be erected adjacent to the new Southern Pacific freight yards.

VENTURA.

FIRST GOLF TOURNAMENT

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Feb. 23.—The Ojai Valley Golf Club is making extensive arrangements for its opening tournament for amateurs, to be held on the Foothill links, March 23, 24 and 24. There will be two silver cups as trophies, one for the winner of the first sixteen, and one for the best net score medal handicap. On Thursday, March 22, the event will be a qualifying round, 18 holes medal play, first sixteen to qualify, and a first round match play, 18 holes, Friday, second round match play and semi-final round match play, 18 holes. Saturday, final round, 18 holes for the "Foothills" silver cup, to be given the winner of the tournament, also a handicap medal tournament, 18 holes, for a silver cup. For information, golf players are requested to address F. W. Hubby, secretary, at Nordhoff, Cal.

VENTURA BRIEF NOTES.

The Seaside Tennis Club of this city yesterday defeated the High School experts in several hotly-contested matches. This was the third meeting of the members of the two clubs, the High School being the victors heretofore. Yesterday there were played five games of doubles and one of singles. Three of the double events were won by Seaside, which club also carried off the event in singles. In the singles Fazio defeated Van Patten, the game going three sets, 6-1, 2-6, 6-1. The clubs of this city are preparing to send teams to participate in the Nordhoff tournament, to be pulled off in April.

TWO GET DIVORCES.

An interlocutory decree of divorce has been granted to Frank Bunch from Ella Bunch on the ground of desertion. A divorce also has been granted on the same ground to O. R. Titus from Abigail Titus.

SAN DIEGO.

FINANCE LOG-RAFT SCHEME.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 23.—It is announced that the proposition for rafting logs from the Columbia River, Or., to this city, to be manufactured into lumber, has been financed, and that a vessel is on the way here from Portland with the first shipment of lumber for the construction of the sawmill. The mill is to be located at the foot of Twenty-sixth street, and is to have a capacity for turning out 175,000 feet of lumber per day, employing several hundred men. As the concern is to compete with the trust lumber manufacturers, its advent into the field is likely to revolutionize the business. Most of the capital is from Portland, Or., although $50,000 has been contributed by San Diegans.

BAY CITY DRIFT.

The famous La Costa ranch, which is a part of the Gruenedike estate, has been sold to Clarence D. Gilman of Seattle, who intends to make it his winter home. The ranch has an acreage of 2400, and the purchase price was $37,500.

In yesterday's shooting, under the auspices of the Pastime Gun Club, Charlie Julian retained the challenge cup offered by Davis and Anderson. The match was between Julian, S. Ecker and T. H. Parry.

The championship of the Pacific squadron in baseball was won in yesterday morning's game, when the Bostons beat the Paul Jones. The game was one of the ten innings, and was won by the Bostons, 5 to 4. The Chicago team was defeated by the Princetons, 3 to 2. Now W. A. Ellis of the Boston has issued a challenge to box any member of the squadron for a ten or twenty-round go at 165 pounds, members of the Chicago's crew preferred.

The U.S.S. Princeton's crew gave a successful minstrel show at the Isis Theater last night, for the benefit of the Bennington memorial fund. Admiral Goodrich and officers of the fleet, with their ladies, occupied boxes, and the entertainment itself was well patronized by members of the squadron.

The San Diego society of the Sons of the American Revolution held its annual banquet last night, with President A. E. Dodson as toastmaster. The responses to toasts were by John P. Burt, Col. John R. Berry, H. E. Mills, H. R. Comley, Daniel Cleve and Allen H. Wright.

CORONADO BEACH.

BREAK ARRIVAL LIST RECORD.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

CORONADO, Feb. 23.—The record for one day's register of guests at the hotel was broken yesterday, when 150 names were recorded. The list of arrivals for the month was the largest of the season, as well as for several seasons. Eighty Raymond-Whitcomb excursionists arrived on the noon train yesterday from the East.

George C. Boldt, Jr., with Howard Throckmorton of New York, is a recent arrival here. Mr. Boldt is on his way to Lower California, where he will be the guest of Walter Dupee of Chicago. He is a son of the proprietor of the Waldorf-Astoria.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McClure and Miss McClure of New York have returned to the hotel, after an absence of several weeks.

Miss M. N. Dewey and her nephew, F. H. Staples, and Charles Baker of Worcester, Mass., arrived yesterday.

St. Louis people here include Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Collins, with their daughter, Miss Collins, and Miss Helen Brown.

Maine people at the hotel include Mrs. Hannibal Hamlin, widow of Vice-President Hamlin. She is the guest of Mrs. James Monroe Flower for an extended visit.

VETERANS FEAST.

Woman's Relief Corps and Stanton Post Enjoy Novel Entertainment Last Night.

Ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps entertained the veterans of Stanton Post, G.A.R., last night at Victoria Hall. A patriotic programme was given. The Berlino family, three small boys, gave several recitations, and gave the names of the Presidents of the United States, with the dates of their election and the length of their terms of office.

Funds were raised to send a delegation from this city to the Grand Army of the Republic, Department Encampment of California and Nevada, to be held at Redding May 17, 18, 19. Money to send a special carload of veterans was secured.

Dr. George C. Summers, commander of Stanton Post, was in charge of the soldiers' share of the programme, and Mrs. J. L. Coleman directed affairs for the women. A banquet was given, and dancing was enjoyed.

A. G. Park was elected an honorary member of the post. He delivered a short address, in which the early history of the United States was touched upon, and the character of Washington was portrayed.

MINES AND MINING.

THE GEOLOGY OF NEVADA.

PROF. STERLING WILL TALK TO ACADEMY OF SCIENCES.

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Prof. Sterling, since his arrival in California, has spent considerable time making an examination of the Johnnie district and surrounding territory, preparing a set of maps showing the geology of a region not previously touched by scientists. He has also made similar examination of the district on Old Baldy in Los Angeles county and is now doing the same in the San Francisco district in Arizona.

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L. Lindsay, who returned from New York and Boston, where he has been engaged in negotiations in connection with his property at Cananea, reports that so far there has been no sale or consolidation made. The matter is still unsettled. There is more than one party desirous of acquiring the mine owned by him and he declares his work of development is causing it to show up better all the time. Regardless of the outcome of any negotiations, he will continue blocking out ore and taking out values. It is generally understood that Phelps, Dodge & Co. are anxious to get control of the property.

SAN RAFAEL TO RESUME.

Development is to be resumed shortly on the San Rafael, the big copper prospect owned by the San Rafael Copper Mining Company, of which F. E. Monteverde, Jr., is president and general manager, and Epes Randolph and A. H. McKay are among the principal stockholders.

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In addition to the furnishing of electric light and power to the mines of Searchlight and San Francisco district and to the town of Needles, the Desert Power Company will lay a six-inch pipe line from the Colorado River to the latter district to convey water to the mines, the supply being insufficient for large operations otherwise. Electric pumps will be used. This part of the project means as much for the district as the light and power plant.

NO WILCOX WARRANT.

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UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Postal Telegraph Company for P. E. Sandager, The National Packing Company, H. D. Curtis, Mrs. E. H. Cox, C. A. Welch, A. G. Muller, W. L. Pond, E. E. Connery, Gerarva Berardini, Mrs A. L. Creel, Mrs. H. S. Mitchell and Mrs. E. C. Hughes.

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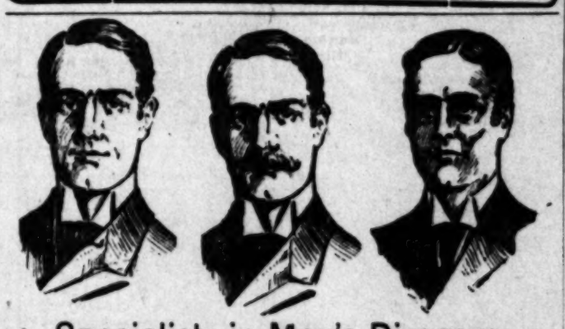

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Buddhist Breathing Exercises Too Much for Veteran at Sawtelle.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAWTELLE, Feb. 23.—The violent breathing exercises introduced here to the congregation of the budding Buddhist temple by Swami Mazzinimanda proved too strenuous for W. R. Chapman, who was stricken with paralysis while going through the "evolutions."

Chapman is a war veteran, a bridegroom, one of the Swami's recent converts and a pillar in the church. His condition is critical.

Hotel del Coronado always leads.

SANTA MONICA.

THREE ISSUES FOR ELECTION.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 23.—A special city election is to be held just as soon as the City Trustees can go through the legal formalities incident to calling it. It will combine three separate and distinct propositions. One will cover the adoption or rejection of the new charter that has just been completed by the Board of Freeholders. Another question to be settled is the proposed annexation of the uninhabited territory extending from Montana avenue to Santa Monica Cañon as far east as Brentwood Park. The third item relates to the application of the State law on street tree planting to this municipality.

The County Supervisors have practically completed the great fill on East Nevada avenue across the arroyo. This was formerly spanned by a frame bridge. Fire destroyed the bridge nearly two years ago and since that time travel to the Soldiers' Home has been by a devious route and the only horse-car line in Los Angeles county has been out of business. The fill is so nearly finished that teams are now crossing. Residents and property owners along the avenue are anxiously awaiting the promised electric road of the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway. They insist that travel must be resumed promptly or the franchise will be declared void.

FOR TEN-TON INCINERATOR.

Members of the Board of Trustees having under consideration bids for the building of a ten-ton garbage incinerator, have paid a visit of inspection to the new garbage-disposal plant in Los Angeles. They learn that the expense of operation is heavy and that for a small plant an engineer will be required, together with probably two additional workmen. It is the purpose of the Trustees to investigate thoroughly before expending the $10,000 bond issue that was entrusted to them for the establishment of a garbage crematory.

SANTA MONICA BRIEFS.

George Colwell, Malone, N. Y.; J. M. Clements, San Francisco; R. C. Reynolds, Troy, N. Y.; are at the Arcadia.

The $10,000 residence of N. G. Baida, at Third street and Bicknell avenue, is nearing completion. It is of Assyrian design, and the exterior is of concrete plaster. One room is to be furnished in oriental leather and another in Turkish plush. The grounds are to be beautified in keeping with the building.

Most popular? Hotel del Coronado.

HOLLYWOOD.

TO HONOR FRANCES WILLARD.

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 23.—Frances Willard Memorial Day will be observed by services Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Church, South. Francis Murphy and Mrs. Murphy will be present, and Prof. Herbert Clark of the local schools will attend with about 200 school children.

Homer Laughlin is laying out his beautiful hill on Franklin avenue for a residential park. There are forty acres in the tract.

The city election will be held April 9. Registration closes February 27.

Hotel del Coronado always pleases.

SAWTELLE.

VETERAN'S FRIGHTFUL FALL.

SAWTELLE, Feb. 23.—H. S. Henchill, a war veteran from the Soldier's Home, of Company E, was hurt in Santa Monica last night. The presumption is that he imbibed too much oil of gladness and while taking a stroll along the bluff made a mis-step and was precipitated to the beach more than a hundred feet below. He was found, bruised and bleeding, and was removed to the Home Hospital this morning. He fell a distance of fifteen feet and rolled down the steep bank until he lodged behind a bush, where he rested until discovered today.

POMONA.

LADIES' CLUB ENTERTAINS.

POMONA, Feb. 23.—The ladies of the Thursday Afternoon Club entertained their husbands and a few friends at the home of C. Digby Wright and wife on South Monrovia avenue last evening.

The Pacific Hotel is now in the hands of a new proprietor. W. A. Thompson having purchased the lease of Homer Stantz, who was shot last week in a family quarrel with his wife. The latter will appear for examination tomorrow before Justice Barnes. There is no doubt that Mrs. Stantz will be discharged because there is no witness to testify against her and no one but Stantz and herself will ever know which one shot him.

C. E. Hibbs and wife entertained the Jolly Jokers' Club last night.

The Pomona tennis club has elected H. E. Kile, president; C. B. Roberts, vice-president; Miss Gertrude Upton, secretary and treasurer.

Vicksburg Post, G.A.R., and the local W.R.C., will hold an open metting at McComas Hall on Saturday evening in commemoration of the birthday anniversaries of Washington and Lincoln. The principal address will be delivered by Rev. Heber Rice.

W. W. Phelps, grand master of Odd Fellows of this State, paid an official visit to the local lodge tonight.

Miss Shedlock of London lectured before the Pomona Ebell at the opera-house this afternoon. Her subject was "The Art of Story Telling."

Society resort? Hotel del Coronado.

CLAREMONT.

ORANGE GROVE SOLD.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 23.—Mrs. C. Wood and George F. Ferris have sold twenty acres of their orange grove to Supervisor Brady. There is a beautiful home included in the sale. Supervisor Brady has bought the property for a nephew, who is now in the East, but who will make California his home in a short time. The consideration for which the grove was sold is reported to be about $30,000.

The funeral of Mrs. C. C. Cooper took place from the family residence, Rosemont, this afternoon.

Hotel del Coronado always leads.

VENICE.

STEEL RAILS HAVE COME.

VENICE, Feb. 23.—The Los Angeles-Pacific electric railway today received from the east a shipment of a thousand tons of steel rails. This material is to be unloaded from the Southern Pacific cars at Sawtelle. It is generally understood the new material is to be used in building the proposed cut-off from Sawtelle to Los Angeles by way of Vineyard.

This new route, for which all rights of way were secured many months ago, will cut about three miles off the present Santa Monica line via Morocco. There will be an easy grade for the entire distance and an entire absence of curves. There is a natural pass through the hills and here the road will be built.

LIVELY Y.M.C.A. PICNIC.

There was a lively picnic on the beach today. It consisted of sixty-five young boys of the Pasadena Y.M.C.A. The day was spent in the full enjoyment of the Midway Plaisance, the warm plunge, and numerous other attractions.

Where to go? Hotel del Coronado.

WHITTIER.

BUYERS EAGER FOR ORANGES.

WHITTIER, Feb. 23.—Judging from the present demand for Valencia oranges, the coming season in Whittier will break the record. Buying has already commenced, all packers being anxious to contract for fruit on the trees. One of the first sales reported is the fruit from the one and one-eighth-acre orchard of S. S. Peters. The orchard contains but 127 trees. The fruit was purchased this week by an independent packer for $1000.

A defective gasoline stove was the cause of a fire at No. 118 North Newlin avenue this morning. The property is owned by Mrs. Vina Rose and occupied by H. R. Soxman. The kitchen and screen porch were badly damaged by the fire and the rest of the house and its furnishings by water. Mrs. Soxman, who is ill, suffered a severe nervous shock, and was removed to a neighbor's.

Comrade John Prichard is quite seriously ill at his home on South Greenleaf avenue. He fell from a load of hay last summer, sustaining an injury from which he has never fully recovered.

Coronado agency 200 S. Spring st.

SAN DIMAS.

SCOTCH CURATOR INTERESTED.

SAN DIMAS, Feb. 23.—The curator of the Glasgow Botanical Gardens, Scotland, has for some time taken considerable interest in the various citrus trees grown here, specimens of which have been sent to him by R. M. Teague of the San Dimas Nurseries. Another consignment of rare specimens has been sent there this week.

LECTURE AND READINGS.

A lecture on the "Forest of Arden," with readings from various plays, was given last night in the Bonita High School by Prof. Herbert E. Harris of Whittier, under the auspices of the Athletic Association of Bonita. The large Auditorium was crowded, and Prof. Harris's clever interpretation of Shakespeare was both instructive and entertaining.

Go with the crowds to Coronado.

AFTER THE "BOUNCERS."

Police Sergeant Craig is waging a relentless war on "bouncers" employed in various houses in the tenderloin. They pose as officers and beat up those who cause trouble. Many times persons are clubbed without cause. The Police Commission has made a rule that no special officer shall work for a house of ill-fame. G. A. Briggs, a special officer, who had been employed by the keepers of the Richmond, on Commercial street, was arrested by Sergt. Craig and his star taken away from him by the Police Commission on Tuesday. Yesterday José Rivera was fined $50 for battery. Rivera wears a deputy constable's star. Sergt. Craig arrested him for brutally beating a man in the notorious Arlington House, also on Commercial street, on Thursday night.

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Legal

Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Boulder Consolidated Gold Mines Company will be held on Monday, the 5th day of March, 1906, at 2 o'clock p.m. at the office of the company, Room 414, in the American National Bank building, on the southwest corner of Broadway and Second streets, in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., for the election of a board of directors, and the transaction of such other and further business as may properly come before the meeting.

ALBERT MILLER, President.
HUGH T. GORDON, Assistant Secretary.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at office of Treasurer Pacific Branch, N.H.D.V.S., Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles county, Cal., until 12 o'clock, m., March 1, 1906, and then opened, for furnishing and delivery of supplies in accordance with instructions and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information, may be had upon application to T. J. COCHRANE, Treasurer.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	46	18	32	New York	50	34	42
Washington	58	28	40	Buffalo	38	30	34
Pittsburgh	50	32	37	Cincinnati	52	36	44
Chicago	36	26	31	St. Paul	32	26	29
St. Louis	64	42	53	Kansas City	48	32	40
Los Angeles	62	46	54	Jacksonville	68	42	55
					64	46	55

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 23.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.14; at 5 p.m., 30.12. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 74 per cent.; 5 p.m., 59 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 46 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—A storm entering the Pacific Slope from the North Pacific Coast is giving rain southward to Central California, and it is probable that the storm in passing eastward will cause unsettled weather in Southern California, and in this vicinity increasing cloudiness is expected tonight, followed by occasional light rain Saturday. A through or low barometric pressure on the Rocky Mountain Slope is causing light snow to fall from New Mexico and Arizona to Southern Idaho and Northern Nevada.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness tonight, probably followed Saturday by occasional light rain; wind mostly fresh southerly.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The storm remains nearly stationary off the Washington coast, and has caused rain from the Tehachepi northward on the Pacific Coast. Heavy snow is reported from the high Sierras. The rivers in the Upper Sacramento Valley are rising slowly. There has been but little change in pressure or temperature in the past twenty-four hours. Conditions are favorable for showers throughout California Saturday. Forecast:

Los Angeles and vicinity: Showers Saturday; fresh southerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Showers Saturday; light southwest wind.

Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys: Showers Saturday; light south winds.

Coast: Showers Saturday; brisk to high southerly wind on the northern coast.

Nevada: Light rain or snow Saturday.

Arizona: Fair Saturday and Sunday, except snow in extreme northwestern portion.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Feb. 23, 1906.

FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday for 1906 were $2,044,502.16. For the corresponding day of 1905, $1,491,453.07; for the same day of 1904, $823,572.94.

Clearings for the week:

Monday	$1,768,122.73
Tuesday	1,886,176.40
Wednesday	2,186,353.26
Friday	3,044,502.16
Total	$7,974,154.57
Same time, 1905	4,825,019.32
Same time, 1904	3,429,730.94

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	$ .47½	$ .48
Central	.90	.95
Columbia Oil	.90	.95
Continental	.22	.25
Fullerton Consolidated	.10	.12
Fullerton Consolidated	.19	.21
Globe	....	....
Home	.34½	.35
Home, Whittier	.02	.03
Mexican Petroleum	1.00	1.05
Olinda Land Co.	.89	1.00
Piru Oil & Land Co.	.50	.50
Puente Oil Co.	.09	.09½
Reed Crude	.75	....
Union	.21	.25
United Petroleum	170.00	175.00
Western Union	267.00	....
	204.00	275.00

MINING STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Bisbee West Copper	$ .05	$ .05½
Buffa M. & M. Co.	....	....
Butte Lode	....	....
Golden Anchor	21.25	27.00
Greene Consolidated	34.00	35.00
Heela Mining Co.	39.00	....
Jessie Bell	....	....
Johnnie Con. Gold M. Co.	.01	.02
Mitchell Mining	.09½	.10
Nevada Chief	11.00	12.50
New Era	....	....
Nevada-Keystone	....	.06
Quartette	....	....
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	14.00	15.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$116.50	$117.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	155.00	....
Bank of Los Angeles	115.00	....
Citizens' National	130.00	....
Commercial National	190.00	....
Security Savings Bank	115.50	....
Equitable Savings Bank	140.00	142.00
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	165.00	....
Federal Bank of L. A.	381.00	....
First National	10.00	11.50
German-American	435.00	440.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	395.00	400.00
Los Angeles National	76.00	80.00
Los Angeles Trust Co.	....	....
Merchants' National	139.00	....
Merchants' T. & S.	426.00	....
Merchants' Trust Co.	62.00	....
Metropolitan R. & S.	100.00	....
National Bank of Cal.	133.00	100.25
Security Savings Bank	200.00	200.00
Southern Cal. Savings	260.00	....
U. S. National Bank	450.00	....
State Bank & T. Co.	140.00	....
	97.00	99.50

*40 per cent. paid up.

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	93	....
Cal. Pacific Railway	....	....
Central City Water Co.	96	100
Corona Power & Water Co.	....	....
Cucamonga Water Co.	85	100
Edison Electric Co.	....	....
Edison Electric Co. con.	101	102
Emergency Hospital	47.50	50.00
Home Telephone, L. A.	....	....
Home Tel. Co., con.	65.00	....
Redlands H. T. & T. Co.	36.75	38.00
Redlands H. T. & T. Co.	36.00	38.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	40.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	40.00
San Monica H. T. & T. Co.	42.50	43.50
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	22.00	23.00
Los Angeles Brewery Co.	32.00	37.00
Los Angeles Jockey Club	115.00	....
Title I. & T. Co.	130.00	....
Title I. & T. Trust pfd.	130.00	....
T. I. & T. Com.	115.00	....
Sun Power Co.	100.00	....
Southern Cal. Power Co.	92.75	93.50
Western Pacific	100.00	100.00
Whittier Coal Co.	98.00	99.00

Sales on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday were: 1000 shares Searchlight, buyer 30 days, at 15; 1000 Searchlight, buyer 30 days, at 16; 1000 Searchlight, buyer 60 days, at 16; 1000 shares Johnnie, 09½; 1000 shares Johnnie, 09¾; 1000 shares each, Johnnie, 09¾; 1000 shares each, Johnnie, 09¾; 1000 Mexican Petroleum, 99¾; 2000 Mexican Petroleum, 99¾; 2000 Mexican Petroleum, 99¾; 25 Union Oil, seller 30, 172.50; 50 Associated Oil 49¾, seller 30, 172.50; 50 Associated Oil 49¾, old price, bid; an advance of 1 point; 47¾, old price, bid; Central went up with a jump to 8 bid, 9 asked; Central went down to 7 bid, 9 asked; 4000 for Fullerton at 10 bid, 19, old price, asked; none offered; Red Crude offered at 34¾; a decline of 1 point; 24, old price, bid; Union closed at 170 bid, 175 asked; United Petroleum went off one point to 267 asked, none offered.

In mining stocks Butte Lode went off to 24.25, old price, 27, asked; for Hecla 5 bid, an advance of 2 point, no offers; Johnnie closed 09 bid, 10 asked; Searchlight at 54¾ bid, none offered.

In bank stocks Home Savings went up 1 point to 76 bid, old price 80 asked; Merchants' Trust was offered at 200.25, old price, 190 bid; California Savings Bank went, according to records, from 275 to 450 bid, went, as offered; State Bank and Trust Co. was offered at 96, down at 99.50, with 97 bid.

In the bond list, for fractional Cal. was at a substantial advance, none offered; for Los Angeles Home, 97¾ bid, no offers; for Los Angeles Home, 98¾ bid, no offers; for old series, asked; for fractional advance, 98¾ bid, a slight advance, 99 asked, a decline of 1 point; for San Diego Home, 83 bid, a fractional advance, 87 asked, an advance of 2 points; for S. T. & T. D., old price, 89¾ bid, 90¾ asked, a fractional decline, asked.

In miscellaneous stocks, Edison preferred offered at 82, a bid decline, 89.50, old price of 1 point, asked, a decline of 1 point; Edison Electric offered at 52.50, a decline of 1½ points, 52.50, old price, bid; Los Angeles Home offered at 29, a decline of 1 point, 29, old price bid; U. S. L. D. preferred, 56.75 bid, a fractional decline, 58.50 asked, old price.

Bank clearings yesterday were large at $2,044,502.16, an increase of $550,000 over a year ago, and $1,200,000 over the corresponding day two years ago.

Money is exceedingly firm in the local market. A borrower has taken during the week from one of the savings banks, $500,000 for 3 years, at 6 per cent., gross, which probably means 7 per cent. net.

The receipts of produce as reported at Wednesday's and Thursday's exchange were as follows: Eggs, 3,000 dozen; butter, 28,380 lbs.; cheese, 3063 lbs.; potatoes, 2846 sacks; onions, 1,284 sacks; beans, 19 sacks; sweet potatoes, 25 sacks.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Tame conditions, with only routine sales, were reported in all quarters of the produce market yesterday, and while previous prices were not materially changed, the general tendency was steadily. Butter moved steadily in consuming channels yesterday and the general market maintained a fair tone at the current values. Fresh grades were in good demand and the stocks of extras were closely cleaned up. There was no change worthy of note in cheese.

Offerings of fresh ranch eggs were 878 cases for Wednesday and Thursday. Although the receipts were heavier than for several days past the general tone of the egg market showed more firmness yesterday and the undertone was also the downward trend of the market began. The official quotation of the exchange was left at 18 cents, but along the streets the average egg jobber was getting from 18 to 20 cents for his fresh ranch offerings. One dealer said yesterday that the recent stormy weather had had a tendency to keep the egg ranchers from bringing in their stocks, which has caused the temporary firmness, but predicted that if the weather is favorable next week that further declines might occur again. Conditions and prices in the market for fresh fruits showed but little change from the previous report, in the orange and lemon navels were very scarce and requirements, while small fruit continued abundant and dull.

Lemons were in free supply. Trade in apples has not come up to the expectations thus far for February, but holders of fancy fruit are firm in their views, as available supplies of such stock are comparatively light.

The market was dull and generally easy for potatoes and onions, in fact, of a holiday character, with prices nominally unchanged.

Miscellaneous vegetables were in moderate receipt. Peas sold at 4½@5 cents per pound crate for fancy stocks, but poor quality bring from one of the savings banks, $500,000 for 3 years, at 6 per cent., gross, which probably means 7 per cent. net.

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Halibut were plentiful, but lobsters, crabs and wild game were scarce.

Prices Current.

Following are the jobbing prices in the Los Angeles market:

EGGS—Candled, fresh California ranch, 18@19.

BUTTER—Fancy local butter, 40 2-lb. jars; fancy Coast creamery, 25@ choice Coast creamery, 24@ storage, 22@23½; fancy creamery, 50@55; ladles, 20; store, per lb., 19@20; choice eastern cubes, 27½ lb.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 16½; Cal. Y. A., 17½; hand, 18½; Dom. Swiss, 18@20; Imp., 26@27; northern, daisies, 16@17; northern, storage, 14; cars, 16; Longhorns, 16@17; Stiltons, 16½; chester, N. Y. twins, 16@16½; Red Band, 14½@15; Sierra singles, 16@16½; large local, 17½; Wisconsin; Oregon brick cheese, 17 lb.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 2.50@2.65; No. 2, 2.25@ 2.35; Lady Washington, No. 1, 2.90@3.10; small white, No. 1, 2.50@2.75; small white, No. 2, 2.00 @2.25; Garvanzas, 4.50@5.00; Limas, No. 1, 5.00 @5.25; black eyes, 3.50@4.00; German lentils, 4.50; American lentils, 4½ lb.

DRIED FRUITS—Choice to fancy evaporated apples, 10; apricots, 9½@9½; peaches, 9@10; prunes, 4@5 lb. box, 4½@5; 20-30 box, 4½@5; 10-lb. box, 4½@5; Turkish Arabian dates, 10@10½; figs, California, black, 6@7½; white, 7½@8½; Smyrna, 15@17 lb.; Calimyrna, 20@22; Smyrna, 15@17 lb.; prunes, 40-50s, 6½; 40-50s, 7½; 30-40s, 8; 60-70s, 5; 80-90s, 4½; 90-100s, 4; 100-120s, 3½; 120-140s, 3; 140-160s, 2½; 160-180s, 2; 180-200s, 1½; 200-220s, 1½; 220-240s, 1½; 240-260s, 1½; 260-280s, 1½; 280-300s, 1½; 300-320s, 1½; 320-340s, 1½; 340-360s, 1½; 360-380s, 1½; 380-400s, 1½; 400-420s, 1½; 420-440s, 1½; 440-460s, 1½; 460-480s, 1½; 480-500s, 1½; 500-520s, 1½; 520-540s, 1½; 540-560s, 1½; 560-580s, 1½;

SHIPPING.

SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, FEB. 23.

Stmr Coos, from Bowen's Landing.
Stmr Corona, from San Francisco.
Stmr Bonita, Capt. Olsen, thirteen hours from Portland.

SAILED—FRIDAY, FEB. 23.

Stmr Newport, Capt. Gilland, for Eureka.
Stmr Bear, Capt. Paulson, for San Francisco.
Stmr Pasadena, Capt. Lurman, for Aberdeen.
Stmr Wasana, Capt. Peasley, for Willapa harbor.

TO PORT—FRIDAY, FEB. 23.

Stmr Alliance, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Whitesell, S. P. wharf.
Stmr A. Higgins, Consolidated wh'f.
Stmr Eugene H. Leggett, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Pacific, Banning wharf.
Stmr Rival, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Santa Rosa, Southwestern wharf.
Stmr Redondo, Con. Is. Co. wharf.
Stmr Geo. Loomis, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Wm. Kruse, Kerr Whitehman, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Bear, Portland, Crescent wharf.
Stmr Thomas L. Emigh, Con. wharf.
Stmr Santa Rosa, Southern Pacific wharf.
Stmr Santa Ana, Dalton wharf.
Stmr Eureka, E. K. Wood wharf.
Stmr Pomona, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Alliance, R. Hind, S. P. wharf.
Stmr Coos Bay, Wilmington & Crescent wharf.
Stmr Bonita, Pioneer, So. Cal. wharf.
Stmr Pasadena, J. W. Bartlett, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Stmr Pomona, J. S. Eads, S. P. wharf.
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Stmr William Kruse, Thomas Vance, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Stmr Alliance, William H. Smith, S. P. wharf.
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Stmr Coos Bay, J. W. Hilton wharf.
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Stmr Pomona, Pioneer, So. Cal. wharf.
Stmr Coos Bay, J. W. Hilton wharf.

SAILED—SATURDAY, FEB. 24.

Stmr Bonita, Capt. Higgins, for San Francisco.
Stmr Corona, Capt. Johnson, for San Francisco.
Stmr Alliance, Capt. Sorensen, for Eureka.
Stmr Redondo, Capt. Thompson, for San Francisco.
Stmr Bear, Capt. Lurman, for Aberdeen.
Stmr Pasadena, Capt. Peasley, for Willapa harbor.

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Feb. 22.—Consols, 89 3-16; silver ...

FRANCISCO MARKETS.

...T, GRAIN AND PRODUCE ...RECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...NCISCO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive to ... stocks moved slowly in jobbing ... trading being seriously hinder... ...heavy downpour, and the pound... ...of rather tame quotations. ... narrow and unimportant. ... and in short supply and bid ... Specialties were ... ...ally scarce and holding firm at ... ... Large sales of Imperial ... find, and in some quarters ... ...manded for United Fruit ... our carloads is scheduled for ... other favorable weather condi... ...e a banner sale. Limes have ... supplies and steady buyers, ... without new feature. Sweet ... and firm at previous quota... ...a steady outlet within easier ... Weather conditions hanged ... ...ions, today, and the general ... ...ed at prevailing rates. ... Grower. Fancy lines command ... in miscellaneous varieties ... spirited competition among ... sellers. Receipts of asparagus very ... fancy cold—freely at ... Cooler nuts were in ... free supply at slight decline, ... outlet. Good southern peas were ... slightly firmer. Bean, ... and tomatoes from the south ... steady at full current value.

FRUIT AND PRODUCE.

[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 23.—[Exclusive to ... Family extras 4.80@5; bakers' ... 4.60.

Wheat—May opening 1.52@1.52½; ... 1.51½@1.52; closing 1.52@1.52½. ... 1.50@1.50; white 1.52@1.56; ...

Barley—May opening 1.00@1.00½; ... 1.00@1.00; closing 1.00@1.00½. ... 1.00@1.00; cut, 1.00@1.00; ...

Corn—Large yellow, 1.30@1.40; ... 1.30@1.40; cut, 1.30@1.40; ...

Potatoes—Burbanks 1.00@1.50; ...

Onions—Silverskins 1.50@2.00; ...

Hay—Wheat, 9.00@13.00; wheat ... 8.00@12.00; barley, 7.00@8.00; ... 7.00@8.00; alfalfa, 7.00@12.00; ...

Millstuffs—Bran, 19.00@20.00; ...

Sugar—No. 3, 4.35; No. 2, 4.45; ... 4.55; granulated, 4.75; ...

Coffee—Mocha, 11½@12½; ...

Provisions—Eastern hams, 12½@13; ... 11½@12; bacon, 12½@13½; ...

Butter—Fancy creamery, 25@26; ... 24@25; fancy dairy, 23@24; ...

Cheese—New, 12½@13; ...

Eggs—Store, 20@21; ...

Poultry—Hens, 6.00@6.50; ...

Citrus Fruits—Navels, 1.00@2.00; ...

Deciduous Fruits—Apples, 1.00@2.00; ...

Dried Fruits—Apricots, 7@8; ...

Nuts—Almonds, 12@13; ...

Honey—Comb, 10@12; ...

Beeswax—30@32; ...

Hops—1905 crop, 3@4; ...

Wool—Fall clip, 10@12; ...

Mohair—Choice, 25@26; ...

Tallow—No. 1, 3½@4; ...

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1906.

LOS ANGELES CITY.

M C and Margaretha C Tremain to Elizabeth A Smith8 lot 46, Cribb and Sinclairs Garfield Heights tract, $10.

G S and Catherine A De Line to L H and Nathan Newby, lots 4 5 and 1, and south 40 feet lot 3, E G Johnston tract, $10.

Ebell Bldg Assn of Los Angeles to Franz Kern and J G Schaefer, lots 13 and 14, block 55, Huger tract, $10.

Ruth A and Martin Ayers to W H Neiswender, lot 22, block 17, Wolfskill Orchard tract, $10.

George and Florence Bowie to Lydia M McFall, part lots 2 and 4, block 22, Highland Park tract, $10.

Charles and Olive B Erpey to Albert Sherman, lot 23, Andrews & Espey tract, $10.

E and Angeline Wilcut to E A Wilcut, part lot 2, A E Tandy tract, $2500.

P H and Stella Ellers to George Babcock Smith, part lots 6 and 8, block 13, Byram Patterson & Millich sub of lots 1 2 7 8 12 13 17 and 18, Childs tract, $10.

Jasette L and Henry W Todd to Jacob A Strawn, lots 23 27 28 and 29, block N, Elk Hills tract, $10.

Union T & T Co of L A to Robert E and Fannie E Comiskey, lots 87 and 92, South Vermont ave tract, $10.

Robert E Comiskey to Fannie E Cromiskey, same, $10.

George E and Bessie L Burrall to P E Loskowski, part lot 12, Spences add to Boyle Heights, $10.

Bertha and Joe Sanders to Moses Graiz, lot 20, block G, Clement tract, $10.

P I & T Co to Ellen Oneill, lot 30, block F, The McCarthy Cos Main st Moneta ave and Figueroa st tract No 2, $10.

John and Louisa J Terrile to Sydney G Rounsefell, lot 22, block 4, Kuhrts Bridge tract, $15.

Sydney G Rounsefell to John Terrile, lot 14, block C, Morris Vin tract, $10.

Alice C Williamson to William E Stevens, lot 19, block 23, Elec Ry Hstd Assn, $10.

Alice I and Arthur E Sexton to Nancy Geary, part lot 64 of Edendale tract, $200.

Floyd W and Abbie Bartlett to E D Miller and Annie Miller, lot 161, Normandie ave tract, $10.

Charles Wellington Wilson and Agnes I Wilson to S M B Hadley, part lot 1, block 4, Williamson tract, $10.

Laura H and G S Pennington to James W Somerville, lot 21, Ridge tract, $10.

Charles Mostyn to Bessie Leslie, lot 254, M L Wicks sub of Garbolino Cooper South & Porter tract, $10.

J F Nadeau to Charles H West, lots 37 to 39 inc, Nadeau Hstd tract, $10.

Martinus Clemens and Sophia Clemens to Richard Henry McCray, lot 9, Martinus Clemens tract, $10.

Brigida Zobelein to R H McCray, lot 18, block 4, Zobeleins Main st tract, $10.

A M Adams to Catherine M Whitten, lots 5 and 18, block D, Bishop st tract No 1 being Whittens sub, $10.

T G & T Co to Serafina Tapperier, lots 282 and 284, Wilshire-Harvard Heights tract, $10.

Charles Willington Wilson and Agnes I Wilson to Minnia M Beardsley, lot 11, block 25, Elec Ry Hstd Assn tract, $50.

Annie Gholey to W E Stevens, lot 19, block 2, Electric Ry Hstd Assn, $10.

E L Chew to M B Golden and A G Kuck, lots 8 9 block W, W L A, $10.

Harriet Matilda Mitchell to Lelia B Elliott and G H Van Etten, lot 22, Walker tract, $10.

Agnes S Harcourt to Louis N Peterson, lots 22 24 and 26, block 5, H M Ames sub of Glassell tract, $50.

James and Georgia A Causey to Anders Peterson, lots 7 and 8, block D, Potter Woodlawn tract, $10.

Henry J Edwards to Jessie M Miller, lot 47, block 2, Old Clapp Or tract, $10.

S A Thompson to Fred Wildung, lot 23, block C, Bowen & Chamberlins Main and Figueroa st tract, $10.

Asa M Green admr of estate of Morris M Green decd to George S Smith, lots 126 and 128, Rose Nut of Agricultural Park tract, $1100.

Cynthia L Conger to Charles F Carlstrom, lot 52, Congers Central-ave tract, $10.

Mabel V and Daniel P Walsh to M A Sterling, und 1-3 int in lots 124 and 125, M L Wicks sub of Garbolino Cooper South & Porter tract, $10.

Frank S Hutton to J W McKinley, lot 1, Josefa sub of Cells Vin tract, $10.

E Newman Emmerson to Robert A and Mary C Baker, part lots 20 and 19, block 8, Garvanza & Cos sub of part of Garvanza add No 1, $10.

Mary J Talley to James and Mamie Caughlin, lot 24, Hollenbeck Park Home tract, $10.

Hawthorne Imp Co to Alfred Veal and Gustaf Linder, lots 60 61 72 and 73, 1st add to Hawthorne, $700.

Buston F and Alice Walbridge to Lottie C and Charles H Lovering, portion of lots 1 and 2, block A, Blanchards part of lot 72, H S, $5000.

George and Elizabeth Sked to Emma Louise Quick, lot 57, block 15½, Angelus Hgts, $1350.

Louis H Bannister to Harry C Hurd, lot 15 and part lot 14, Douglas tract, $10.

A E Robinson to Eugene L Berger, lot 13, block 12, Park tract, $100.

Eugene L Berger to M H Shelton, same, $10.

Union Trust and Title Company of Los Angeles to John K Wells, lot 15, block A, Walter's Main and Moneta-avenue tract, $10.

Anna W and L P Pritchard to W S C Stevens, lots 47 and 48, Washington Square tract, $10.

M L Wicks to Louis and Rose Albert, lots 28 and 62, North Edendale tract, $10.

Hawthorne Improvement Company to J Henry Talbott, lots 6 and 7, block L, Hawthorne, $200.

D D A and Cora Kirkpatrick to Charles Salisbury, lots 11, 13 and 15, block A, Central Park tract, $100.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Edna M Hirsch, lot 131, Normandie-avenue tract, $10.

Urish and H E Zimmerman to David H Golden and Chauncey I Salkins, lots 48 and 153, Conner's subdivision of Johannsen tract, $10.

Emil and Benveneda S Firth to Kate W Pinehout and E M Pinehout, lot 38, Walnut Park, $10; to Edward Christian Dietz and Louise Dietz, lot 79, Walnut Park, $10.

American Savings Bank to R B Breese, lot 85, Brown & Dolton's Vernon & Compton-avenue tract, $10.

Edward S Pauly to Clark K Sylvester, lots 11 to 18, inclusive, Vendome Park tract, $10.

Edwin M and Luella B Clark to M H Webster, lot 11, Clark & Sisson tract, $400.

Harrison T and Ellen E Buff to Charles L Moon, lot 2, Lannsen tract, $350.

Thomas G Smythe and Nellie S Smythe to Josephine Knapp, lots 9 and 10, Alvarado Park tract, $10.

J M McLeod and Eva E McLeod to A T Anderson and Jacintha M Anderson, lot 8, Winton & McLeod's Figueroa-street tract, No 1, $10.

Jacob and Emily N Loew to Mary B Hock, part lots 1, 7 and 6 and all lot 7, and part lot 8, Alfred James tract, $10.

Mary B Hook to L Breedlove, same, $10.

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Sarah E Robinson to Laura A Rogers, lot 143, W T Dalton Orchard tract, $10.

Edyin L and Rose C Higgins to Yvonne Nicolas, lot 14, block 8, New York tract, $10.

Adley Parks to Herman Meyer, lot 34, Hawthorne Annex, $10.

Charles W Lash to Isabelle Gardiner, lots 97 and 98, Home Acres tract, No 2, $150.

Pacific Improvement Company to H A Kenistan, lots 14, 15, 16 and portion of lot 13, block A, Pacific Improvement tract, $10.

Axel A and Ellen Olive Ahiroth to Gust Anderson, lot 52, Rugby Rose tract, $10.

B G and Nettie L Webb to L E Berkey, lot 161, Mattison's High Level Table Land tract, $6200.

Clark W and Abbie D Sylvester to Sherrill B Osborne, lot 12, resubdivision of Turner tract, $10.

Theodore J Welk to Andrew S Kingsbury, lot 37, Lawrence tract, $500.

Robert and Cecil Marsh to W I Hollingsworth, undivided ½ interest in lots 23 and 24, of subdivision of block 18, O S, $30.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Anne Nelson, lot 21, C F Bixby tract, $10.

Kathryn R and L D Benge to Carmen F Carlson, lot 7, block D, Adams-street tract, $10.

Elmer E Hubbart to Amanda Ellen Bailey, lots 7 and 8, Francesca tract, $10.

Lester L Robinson to Charles Wellington Wilson, lot 19, block 41, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $10.

James M and Sarah M Roberts to W H Shearer and M A Shearer, part lot 3, block V, Garvanza addition, No 1, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Company to Mary Greve, part lot 14, block 2, South Woodlawn, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Co to Fredricke Kowalewsky, part lots 10 and 12, block 2, South Woodlawn, $10.

Forrest W Taylor and Sarah Taylor to Edward Stoll, lot 17, Bowen & Chamberlins Royal tract, $2500.

Southwest Land Co of Los Angeles to H R Hindman, lot 2, block 1, Vermont Avenue Square, $10.

Same to same, lot 1, block 1, same tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Co to Harry H Friedgen, lot 4, block L, Wilshire Boulevard Heights, $10.

D L Francis and Sara A Francis to Gracie A Drake and Pearl E Roberts, lot 42, block 7, Howes tract, $10.

E Scrabjee to Hyslop Gillies and Margaret C Gillies, portion of lot 12, block H, Raymond Villa tract No 1, $10.

H E Beer and Elizabeth H Beer to Mrs H George Beer, lot 39, W V Kellen tract, $10.

Mrs Susie Coulter Atwater and Adrian H Atwater to Pearl Adams Spaulding, lot 332, Edendale tract, $10.

Ella Hanson, Emma P Covell to Walter Holst, lot 30, block 1, Platers subdivision of Meadow tract, $10.

Charlotte Schwettmann to Alice M Weaber, lot 25 of resubdivision of Turner tract, $10.

Union Title and Trust Co of Los Angeles to Annie Watson, lot 25, block 15, Walters' Moneta avenue and Figueroa street tract, $10.

PASADENA.

F A and Nellie L Weir to Cora W Hall, lot 14, Walter Morrow tract, $10.

Elizabeth M and Smith Adams to Jasper N and Eva L Humphreys, part lot 26, Smith James tract, $10; to Frank C Platt, west 26 feet lot 25 and east 24 feet lot 26, same tract, $10.

Harry J and Mary L Munger to Viola B Haskell, lot 11, G R Meneely's subdivision of portion of lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, block R, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Arthur McFadden to Fred Stuart Selley, part of lot 6, block C, replat of Tebbetts subdivision, $10.

A Kingsley Macomber and Myrtle H Macomber to J R H Wagner, lot 19 and part of 20, Chapman tract, $10.

Walter J and Laura Becker to Emeline A Wooley, lot 3, Barnhart Petrie Crawford & Sawyers subdivision, $10.

George S. Minnie Beatrice and Lucius N Done to Edwin M Clark, lots 1 to 4, block 14, Pasadena Highland tract, $10.

J Edward Kent and Mary Anne Kent to Grace I Waterman, lot 8, Buchanan & O'Neal subdivision, $10.

Edward P Silent & Co to F H Schanch, part of lot 1, Byron C Clarks subdivision of lot 2, block A, San Pasqual tract, $10.

Elizabeth S Kane and Viola B Hazzelt to J A Ainsworth, part of lots 1 to 3, block A, Riggin Bros subdivision, $10.

J A and Mary E Hubinger to Calen C and Barbara Seidel, part of lot 12, Wallace Bros subdivision, $10.

George H and Anna H Curtis to Margaret May Swing, lot 26, Curtis tract, $10.

W F and Ellen M Webb to Harry C Hurd, part of lot 17, Farris &Lyman subdivision of lots 32 and 33, Mutual Orchard Co's lands, $10.

Jane M and Charles M Phillips to Oak Knoll Co, part of lots 7 and 10, block F, San Pasqual tract, $10.

M M K and C J Crabbe to Homer H Justice, lot 2, block C, Thompson & Schock tract, $10.

LONG BEACH AND ALAMITOS.

William M and Ethel S Cook to Wm H McGinnis, lot 16 and part lot 15, block B, Central Home tract, $10.

Land and Navigation Co to William H Buttery and B H Paul, lots 15, 18, 19, 25, 26 and 27, block 5; lots 12 to 16 inclusive, block 6; lots 1, 10 to 16 inclusive, 19, block 7; lots 1 to 4 inclusive, 7 to 10 inclusive, block 8; lots 1 to 14 inclusive, block 9; lots 1 to 9 inclusive, block 10; part block 11, Riverside plat; also portion of block 148, $10; to Ada M Legge, lot 6, block 1, Riverside plat, $10.

James M and Eudora Belle Maritz to Nancy A Willits, part lot 81 and part lot 82, Rose tract, $10.

Jennie A Reeve to G W and Mary P Johnson, part of lot 11, block 133, Alamitos Beach townsite, $10.

E F and Emma A Brower to W E Browley, lots 9 to 11, Saunders resubdivision of Villa lots 22, $500.

Mary C Y Cooley to J P and Carlotte Curtis, part of lot 2, block 4, Hawkeye tract No 2, lots 7 to 9, Wells tract, $10.

J V and Jane E Barton to R V Hale, lot 1, block 2, Bartow tract, $10; to Josephine A Olive, lot 7, block 3, same, $10; to Gustave E Bauer, lot 4, block 4, same, $10.

William E and Caroline Bewley to Fannie O Holley, lots 9 to 11, Saunders resubdivision of Villa lots 22, $500.

Bixby Company to G L Junod, lot 9, Bixby's tract, $10.

Frank R and Pearl Strong to Robert Marsh, lot 14, block 14, Alamitos Bay tract, $10.

Reida Cochran to Elmer and Gertrude Fish, lot 3, Covert tract, $10.

W W and Nettie A Varney to Mrs M Moore, lot 4, block 4, Townsend & Robinson's tract No 2, $10.

W W Oliver to W H Bryan and R C Wiley, lot 12 and part of lot 10, block A, Johnston tract, $1600.

Cornelius and Mary McCarthy to Mary A McCarthy, part of lots 2, 4, 6 and 8, block 72, $1400.

Charles C and Minnie E Myers to Elizabeth Pegg, part block 2, State Street tract, $50.

H H and Inez L Krames to same, part lot 2, block 21, $10.

G Willard Schott and Helen E Scott to same, lots 12 and 13, block 45, Long Beach, $10.

W C and Mary L Hodges to Frankie Lane, part lot 4, block 8 of resubdivision of portion of Alamitos tract, $10.

John F and Carrie A Smith to Robert and Lowella Reese, part lots 9, 12 and 13, block A, Stanwood & Nash subdivision farm lot 182, American Colony tract, $10; to Mrs C L Woods, part lots 8 and 9, block A, same, $10.

Sardine A and Laura Stone to Ruth M B Williams, lots 9 and 11, block 45, $10.

John C and Lizzie H Lennox to Alex S Simpson, part of lot 7, block 88, Alamitos tract, $10.

W D and Elizabeth M Watkins to P A Leiertis, lot 21, block B, Watkins tract, $10.

David A and Margie M Mankin to T B Talbert, lot 17, block 132, Alamitos Beach townsite, $10.

The Alamitos Land Co to David Hughes, lots 1 and 2, block 74, resubdivision of part Alamitos Beach townsite, $1-0; to Elizabeth J Clark, lot 22, block E, Mira Mar tract, $10; to James E Grogan and Elias I Center, part of farm lot 21, Alamitos tract, $10.

J E Borden to L M M Borden, part lots 2 and 4, block E, $10.

J E and M M Borden to Andrew Montague, portion of Villa lot 3, American Colony tract, $50.

D S and Louise R Shaw to Helen M Brown, lot 19, block A, Johnson tract, $10.

Title Guarantee and Trust Co to Helen M Brown, lots 17 and 18, Locust Avenue tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Co to Wesley S and Elizabeth Parker, lot 9, block 11, Alamitos Bay tract, $10.

Virginia S Brundy to Emilea Schiaffino, lots 21 and 22, block D, Signal Hill Annex, $10.

Elizabeth H Hyde to F T Perry, lots 20 and 21, Heyl tract, $10.

COUNTY TRACTS.

Justin and Annie L Roussey to Antoine Revoion, part of La Ballona ranch, $10.

Thomas and Elizabeth Whitman to C H Scott, part of Tajuata ranch, $10.

Jay P and Mabel Gulick Bradford to W M Gray, part of lot 15, Bassett tract, $10.

James A Keeney to William Stewardson, lots 32 and 34, Spangrids, $10.

Ruhamah Smith to Joseph R Mathews, lot 5, Eugene C Smith subdivision of lots 10 and 11, W D Lanterman's subdivision of south portion of lot 12, rancho La Canyada, $10.

J E and Mary M Coyner to Cora M Sherwood, lots 23 to 26, inclusive, and part lot 30; lots 31 to 48, inclusive, Wadsworth & Hojedo Palms tract, $100.

Cora M Sherwood to Thomas S Wadsworth and C W Hollister, same, $10.

C W and Cora C Hollister, Thomas S and Mary A Wadsworth to L Brent, lots 13 to 23, inclusive, same tract, $10.

Marie Weld, executrix of estate of Ivar A Weld, deceased, to Mary Brown, lot 47, Ivar A Weld's subdivision of southeast ¼ of section 14, 1 S, 14 W, $1000.

Helen and J B Tilton to A M Neece, lots 82, 83 and 84, Watts Junction tract, $10.

Gregory Perkins, Jr., trustee of Robert Beyrle, bankrupt, to William M Cameron, lots 4, 5, 10 and part of 3, section 4, and blocks J and K, Chatsworth Park, $25.

Huntington Land and Improvement Company to O C Conley, lot 7, block C; lot 2, block D, Oneonta (2 deeds,) $10.

Frank B and Alice B Fitch to Louise J Dimitry, lots 17 and 42, block 3, Meadow Glen tract, $10.

George F Dimitry to Louise J Dimitry, lots 17 and 42, block 3, same tract, $10.

Union Trust and Title Company of Los Angeles to E S Emerson, lot 23, block 10, Athens, $10.

Sanford and Elisabeth E Rich, Frank B and Jennie D Walker to J P Hill, lots 28 and 29, Hartford Villa tract, $10; to Olof Johnson, lots 31 and 32, same, $10.

O C and Kate L Ward to Redondo Improvement Company, lot 20, Strawberry Park Riesman tract, $10.

Merchants' Trust Company to Mary L Smith, lots 5 to 8, block A, Watts Park tract, $10.

Sofia Elizalda to E C Romew, lot 11, block 23, Santa Fe Springs, $25.

Henry and Anna Riesner to Pico-street Land Company and Robert Marsh, part of Las Cienegas ranch, $10.

C E and Columbia E Wood to John Gorman, part of La Ballona ranch, $10.

S P and Helen B Mulford to Harvey S Thompson, lot 33, block 206, Inglewood, $10.

T I & T Co to N H Smith, lot 12, block G, Crescent Hgts tract, $10.

N R and Roberta T Smith to Geo H Hutton, lot 12, block G, Crescent Hgts tract, $10.

Thomas and Margaret Riffenberick to Robert C Armstrong, lot 19, Grider & Hamilton's Olive Place, $10.

T I & T Co to S L Davis, lot 15, Larramond add to Sherman, $10.

L M and Zora A Grider E E and I E Hamilton to Margaret J Sloan, lot 237, Grider & Hamiltons Hollywood tract, $400.

Anna N Kendal to E R Dart, lot 73, Hollywood Grand View tract, $10.

1st National Bank of Hollywood to Hollywood Sav B & T Co, und ½ int part lots 2 and 3, block 4, Hollywood Ocean View tract, $10.

Calif T I & T Co to Pac Coast Sav Society, lots 10 11 16 17 26 27 31 to 33 42 44 45 to 54 72 and 73, Sierra Vista tract, Colegrove, $10.

U T & R Co to Robert J Madden, lot 19, Culvers East Hollywood tract, $50.

Jennie C and Howard W Wood to Priscilla J Raymond, part of lot 4, Valley View tract, $10.

Priscilla J and Emmet B Raymond to W A Rice, part of same lot, $10.

J R and Alta M Badgley to Joseph N Bill, lot 28, block D, Strong & Dickinsons High School tract, $10.

H B and Jennie H Blakeley to Helen M Hodgkins, lots 13 15 and 17, block 1, El Centro tract, $1575.

Golden State Realty Co to Ralph Castle, lots 74 75 186 and 187, Elcoat tract, (2 deeds) $100 each.

MINOR BEACHES.

Hilda Goetze to O J Uewman, part of lot 2, block 84, Hermosa Beach, $10.

J W and Ida B Trueworthy, Dan and Antoinette E Murphy, to Lena Williams, lot 9, block 8, same, $10.

Hermosa Beach L and W Co to P W Clark, part of lo 126, block 84, first add, same, $10.

F D and Eva H London to Frank L Johnson, lot 5, block 4, Manhattan Beach, $10.

F Ea and Louise M Palmer to Harvey S Thompson, lot 8, block 84, same, $10.

REDONDO BEACH.

T O and Emma A Dwight to Mary Bert and Homer Boughton, lot 33, block 179, $2500.

Redondo Imp Co to Edith Westmeyer, lot 24, block 90, $10; to W H Reese, lot 15, block 139, $10; to Henry Siemer, lot 1, block 126, $10; to Elizabeth R Siemer, lot 1, block 127, $10; to John H Dougherty, lot 7, block 153, $10; to Charles L Pierce, lot 19, block 36, $10.

Henry and Elizabeth R Siemer to E H Dykhinzen, lot 1, block 120, $10.

George W and Maggie L Cas sto Henry Herring and Cordelia Herring, parts of lots 40 and 41, block 120, $10.

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY.

Belle Moffit to Dolores N de Tapia, lots 39 and 40 block 106, $20.

L C and Mary Louise Brand and Huntington L and Imp Co to Martin Matadorf, lot 5, block 17, Glendale Blvd tract, $10; to Albert H White, lots 23 and 27, same, $10.

Horace P and Emma K Anderson to William D Stephens, lots 24, 25 and 42, Lankershim Ranch L and W Cos sub, $400.

D and Claudie D Griswold to H P Hoffman, lots 1 and part of 2, block 2 ,Tropico Blvd tract, $10.

Sarah A Cooper to George and Catherine Peters, lot 179, Grider and Hamilton Sonoita Park, $10.

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY.

G F and Ona D Huddleston to Paul Hutchinson, lots 1 to 22, Aspinall & Becker subdivision of lot 3, block 17, Lamanda Park, $10.

Mary O H Stoneman to John Ritchie, lots 24, 25 and 26, block 9, Stoneman tract, Alhambra, $10.

John I and Lu M Hamilton to William W and Daisy M Huntington, part of lot 22, Altadena map, No 3, $10.

The Granite Bank and Trust Company to S J Smith, part of lots 2 and 4, Abbot & Clark's subdivision of lot 6, block 3, Monrovia tract, $10.

Martha M Dillmann to John F Camming, lot 9, block 1, Ralph Rogers resubdivision of lots 3 to 9, Lincoln Park tract, South Pasadena, $500.

Ernest B and Emma N Cornell to Lucius T Roberts, part of lot 1, R S, Alhambra tract, $10.

Mark B and Mary Etta Turner to D M Abbott, lot 7, block 1, Hostetter's addition to Covina, $10.

A E and Florence A Pomeroy to Juan Arrambide, lots 12 and 13, block 9, Puente, $350.

Ralph Rogers Company to Amelia Wimbush, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 12, Oak Hill Park tract, $10.

Italia I Cook to Mary E Vincent, lots 14 and 15, block 3, and 14, block 6, Richmond tract, Covina, $10.

George W and Jennie W Stimson to Edmond W Stanton, lot 15, block A, C T Adams resubdivision of lots 7 and 8, block A, Alhambra addition tract, $10.

Alonzo and Ada B S Phillips to Thomas R Abernethy, lot 2, block 5, J M Elliott's subdivision of block 1, Alhambra Library tract, $10.

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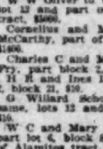

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We're now booking orders for new Spring suits. The woolens we are showing this season are the finest that have ever entered our establishment—finest in pattern and finest in quality. Choicer goods have never been imported. Your inspection is cordially invited.

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Two fully-equipped banking rooms in the heart of the business center.

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The headquarters at 223 Spring street, between Third and Second, is convenient to cars connecting with every part of the city.

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These bonds are issued by Board of Supervisors, Los Angeles County, under the acts of the Legislature authorized by the provisions of the Constitution of California relating to Public School system.

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Total debt Los Angeles City School District (this issue only) 520,000

Net debt of Los Angeles City School District less than 1-3 of 1 per cent. of assessed valuation.

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$1,000,000

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Bonds Tax Exempt in the State of California

railroad of first-class construction, extending from a connection with the main lines of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fé Railroads at Merced The Yosemite Valley Railroad Company is building a standard gauge to the Yosemite National Park, which will make possible a trip in standard Pullmans, without change, from San Francisco or Los Angeles to the Park. The Company intends to handle tourist traffic into the Valley this coming season, over thirty-five miles of road now nearing completion, in conjunction with a stage trip over the remaining distance.

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Hamburger's

127 to 147 N. SPRING ST. LOS ANGELES

20c PEANUT BRITTLE, POUND

Our own make from fresh roasted peanuts and the purest sugar. Regular price 20c. Special Saturday only .... **15 Cents**

AREND'S ORCHESTRA SATURDAY NIGHT.
CONCERT FORM 8 TO 10 O'CLOCK.

A good programme of all the popular music which will be found on sale in our music department at reduced prices.

Extra! $7.50 New Spring Skirts at : : : : $1.98 Extra!

The story: A large shipment of our new dress skirts was caught in the Santa Fe wreck near Trinidad, Colorado. The railroad company saved about 400 of these skirts—the only damage being dust—and offered them to us for a fraction less than we have marked them. The lot comprises all wool Panamas, Brilliantines and gray mixtures. In the regular way they cost from $3.50 up to $7.50, but we are glad to let you have them at about what the Santa Fe officials sold them for, namely **$1.98**

SECOND FLOOR.

THESE SKIRTS AT $1.98 WON'T LAST OVER TWO HOURS.

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127 to 147 N. SPRING ST. LOS ANGELES

$5.00, 52-Piece Cottage Set $3.9

A semi-vitreous porcelain cottage set of best quality; light weight, embossed and will accommodate six people. Just the size of set for small families, apartments or beach cottages and positively $5.00. Priced for Saturday only, complete ..... $3.

Stunning Styles in Suits and Waists

At a Saving from One-fourth to One-third Less Than Priced Elsewhere

$30.00 New Spring Suits, at $20

Very latest modes of Chiffon Panama; colors tan, gray, green or blue; made Eton jacket style; Taffeta silk lined; trimmed around collar with white Broadcloth; the skirts made circular shape. They are our latest arrivals and are worth $30.00, but given an introductory price Saturday at .....

Women's $7.50 Covert Jackets at.... $5.00

Loose box or 26-inch fitted style; trimmed with self box plaits. Just the kind of garment for now.

Women's $10.00 Covert Jackets at.... $7.50

26-inch half fitted style; finished with or without velvet collars; either unlined or all satin lined; neatly trimmed with self strapping.

Women's $12.50 Covert Jackets at.... $8.50

Short fitted style; all satin lined; trimmed with narrow strapping; finished with tailor stitching and self buttons.

$13.50 Covert Jackets at.... $10.00

Short fitted style; all satin lined; trimmed with narrow or wide tailor stitched straps, and are the very newest models.

$2.98 For $4.00 Jap Silk Waists

As a special feature for Saturday only, we offer good quality Jap silk waists that usually sell at $4.00. They are black or white; trimmed on front with small knife plaiting forming yoke; lace edging around collar and cuffs. The material alone is worth more than the price complete, and they are on sale for the one day only at..... $2.98

75c Corsets and Girdles 50c

100 dozen corsets and girdles. The corsets of Batiste in colors and white; styles for all figures; with or without supporters. The girdles pink, blue or white; with or without supporters. Positively worth 75c.

New "Royal Regent" Corsets At $1.00

Latest spring models; the material Batiste; colors blue, pink or white; trimmed with lace and ribbon; styles for all figures and every pair fitted by an expert corsetiere.

New "Royal Regent" Corsets At $1.50

The best at the price ever offered to the discriminating public. Are of Batiste in white only; with or without supporters, and are in styles for all figures. Every pair fitted.

New "Royal Regent" Corsets At $3.50

No corset better in style regardless of the price you pay. They are of white silk Batiste; finished with supporters; trimmed with lace and ribbon. Are the celebrated brand we have handled for years, and have always given satisfaction.

Newest Styles in Millinery

Qualities the Best—Prices the Lowest

$10.00 For New Dress Hats

Very latest models in dress, suit or evening hats; many are rather small in sailor shapes. Some have high crowns; also new draped hats of straw or hair braid plateaus. Many of these hats are made specially for early selling in our own workroom and are of best materials; as good as others ask $15.00 to $18.00 for; are in all the wanted colors.

New Suit Hats $7.00

New models from the best shapes and styles of natural Leghorns, chip or satin braid plateaus bent up in all the new shapes; also some hand-made hats of hair braids in all the new combinations and colors; trimmed specially for early spring with wings, flowers or ribbons and are reasonably priced at $7.00

New Street Hats at $2.95

Early spring street hats, the very latest styles and shapes made of fine chip or satin straw braids; some with colored facings and natural tops; others are in solid colorings; the trimmings of ribbons, ornaments and quills. A very select line, largest and best in the city, and specially priced at, choice $2.95

SECOND FLOOR.

February Trade Sale of Shoes

Prices from One Fourth to One Third Below Present Wholesale Cost

Women's $3.50 to $5 Shoes at $2.95

In all the wanted leathers; are Blucher, lace or button styles; turned or welted soles; low or high heels. The $5.00 kinds are most of patent kid with Louis XV. heels. There are not all sizes of a kind but all sizes in the lot.

Women's Shoes worth to $3.50 choice $1.95

Broken lines and odd lots of Vici kid, lace or button shoes; turned or welted soles; Cuban, military or Louis XV. heels; every pair shapely and stylish; all sizes in the lot.

Girls's $2.50 School Shoes at .. $2.00

Are of plump Dongola kid; lace style only; have patent tips; extension soles and low school heels; sizes 2½ to 6.

Boys' $2.50 School Shoes at..... $2.00

Strong, well made shoes that will stand the hardest usage of school wear; are of box calf with half round capped toes; good weight oak tanned soles and in sizes 2 1-2 to 5 1-2.

Women's $3.50 Sample Oxfords at $1.95

Just the thing for early spring; are in sizes 3 to 4½ only; of all the wanted leathers; heavy or light soles; low or high heels and every pair positively worth $3.50.

Men's Fine Tailored New Spring Clothing

The Very Latest Styles, Very Best Fabrics, Very Lowest Prices

Men's New Spring Suits at $15.00

As handsome a suit as could be made to your individual measure for $20.00 to $25.00, and are in the popular self gray plaids or pin checks; also plain grays, light and dark shades; the materials strictly all wool Worsteds, in Basket weaves; the coats single or double breasted; square corners; long cut; wide square shoulders; center or side vents, with two buttons; stitched back crease; Venetian lined; sizes for regulars, slims or stouts from 34 to 50. An introductory leader at. **$15.00**

$10 to $15 All Wool Suits $5

This is a final clean up of all odd lots and broken lines of suits that have sold all season from $10.00 to $15.00. There are more than 250 suits in the lot and are in medium, light and heavy weights; the materials Cassimeres, Cheviots and Tweeds; light or dark colorings; seasonable patterns; have broad, square shoulders; single or double breasted styles, and sizes range 33 to 44. An excellent suit for workingmen or for everyday wear, and are priced for Saturday at, choice $5.00

75c BLACK SATEEN SHIRTS 50c

Nubian black mercerized sateen overshirts; full cut; yoke shoulders; re-enforced seams; sewed with linen; finished with genuine pearl buttons.

50c SILK NOVELTY NECKWEAR 25c

Including four-in-hands, puffs, Ascots, Tecks, shields and other wanted styles in all the leading colors; limit four to a customer.

Dress Goods and Silks

New Weaves Much Underpriced

65c, 38-Inch Panama Cloth, Yard 50c

75 pieces of a standard make; all shades of tan, mode, Alice blue, green, red, navy, brown; also black; a firm, durable quality; pure wool and matchless under 65c. Saturday, a yard 50c

75c, 45-Inch English Mohairs, Yard 39c

100 pieces of new Mohairs in fine Sicilian weave; colors brown, navy, gray, green, red and black; a serviceable material for suits, skirts and coats; positively worth 75c. Priced for Saturday only, yard 39c

$1.29, 36-Inch Chiffon Taffeta, Yard 89c

10 pieces, full yard width, black dress taffeta; Chiffon finished; free from dressing; fashionable for coats, drops and shirt waist suits. No better sold in other stores at $1.29. Our price, yard 89c

75c Cream Habutai Silk, Yard 50c

100 pieces of a heavy, firm, durable silk that will launder equal to linen. The patterns are small designs such as dots, figures, scrolls and Jacquard effects; are imported weaves; 24 inches wide and worth 75c. Special Saturday only, yard 50c

For Boys' $6, $7 and $8.50 Suits

$4.69 A final clean-up of all boys' winter suits, including double breasted, Norfolks, Eton and sailor blouse suits; the materials all wool Cheviots and Tweeds; light and dark mixtures; the double breasted suits in sizes 9 to 16 years; the Eton blouse suits, 5 to 12 years; the Norfolk and sailor suits, sizes 3 to 6 years. Not all sizes of a kind, but all sizes in the lot. None have sold for less than $6.00; most of them $7.00 to $8.50. Priced for Saturday at, choice, $4.69.

Boys' Blouses Worth to 75c at..... 25c

Broken lines of high grade Madras and Percale blouses; have double sewed strapped seams; are finished with pearl buttons, and in a large assortment of patterns; not all sizes of a kind, but all sizes in the lot.

Boys' $1.50 All Wool Sweaters 49c

Strictly all wool yarn; have close fitting turtle neck and wrist bands; but are in black only; are the regular $1.50 grade. Specially priced Saturday.

Boys' Pants 50c

Made in knee length of good wearing wool Cheviots and Tweeds, in all the wanted patterns and seasonable colorings; have tape bound seams, riveted suspender buttons and patent extension waist bands; sizes 4 to 16 years. A special leader for Saturday at..... 50c

New 32-inch Madras Gingham, Yd.

Colors tan, blue, gray, steel gray and mode, with small corded light blue and white stripes; very pretty and reasonably priced. **12½c**

27-inch Fancy Voile Suitings, Yd.

A desirable wash material for spring dresses; in a choice line of patterns and in all wanted colors. **10c**

Jewelry and Leather Goods

$8 Large Fancy Clocks $4.45

8-day cathedral gong mantel or bedroom clock, half-hour cup bell; size of clock 18 inches long, 11½ inches high, with 5-inch plain white or fancy gold finished dials. Will be kept in running condition free for one year.

$2.00 Belts—"Queen Contour" and "Princess" shapes; form fitting; neatly stitched; have gun metal or gold buckles, and are in white, black, brown or red. Choice Saturday..... 95c

$1.50 Vanity Bags—Seal and walrus grain leathers; Vanity purses, with finger strap; one compartment; nicely lined. Choice Saturday..... 65c

$3.00 Silk Opera Bags—Plain white or floral designs in blue, pink, red, purple and other colors; have gold-gilt frames or woven silk draw strings. Choice..... $1.45

$1.50 Watches—Stem wind and set; open face; nickel case; snap back and front; guaranteed to keep time for one year. Choice Saturday..... 95c

$14.95 Rattan Reclining Go-Carts

Of all rattan, with reclining back; large adjustable rattan front; rubber tired auto wheels; complete with parasol and cushion; five different patterns to select from. **$8.98**

Ribbons : Veils : Handkerchiefs Neckwear : : : Laces

19c A Yard for Ribbon Worth to 69c.

Best quality Taffeta, Louisene and Messaline ribbons; widths to 6 inches; new color combinations; some with sprays or embroidered dots on light grounds; others plain colors; values to 69c. **19c**

Veils Worth to $1.50—of silk, Chantilly lace, Chiffon, silk Tissue and Grenadine, 1 1-2 yards long; black, white and pastel colors. Choice Saturday 35c

Handkerchiefs—thousands of slightly soiled handkerchiefs; of linen, Swiss or lawn; hand embroidered, hemstitched, embroidered hems or Valenciennes and Mechlin lace edges; values to 75c. Choice Saturday 15c

Shirt Waist Patterns—hand embroidered fronts; collars and cuffs of French or Persian lawn; handkerchief linen lawn with plain material for sleeves and back; values to $7.50. Choice Saturday $2.98

Laces Worth to 50c—Valenciennes or Point de Paris; white or cream; 18 inches wide; serviceable for waists or trimming. Saturday, a yard 15c

Neckwear worth to 75c—Of silk, Madras or linen; some hand embroidered in plain white; others all the new colors; a selected lot of pretty styles. Choice Saturday 25c

Allover Lace black only; widths up to 20 inches; Oriental, Venise and Cluny in floral designs; worth to $1.50. Choice Saturday a yard .. 50c

Stationery Extras

25c Carter's photo library paste in bottles with water compartment 10c

10c crepe paper; all colors; full width and full length rolls choice 5c

Comic postal cards; more than 150 styles; all the latest hits and jokes; dozen 15c

Order books; has oil cloth cover and place for pencil; 100 leaves 15c

Postal card albums; best grade; holds 100 cards; special Saturday 25c

Stereoscopes; well made, good lens, including 10 stereoscopic views 50c

Postal card albums from 10c to $5.00

Note paper, good quality; ruled or plain; 100 sheets and 50 envelopes 19c

Children's party invitations, Eaton Hurlbut's make; in box of 48 pieces; special 39c

Score tablets, for games of "500," Bridge Whist, duplicate whist and progressive euchre; pad 19c

White wove paper, light plate finish; 24 sheets and 24 envelopes; in box, 2 sizes 10c

Stationery Extras, Continued

Old Irish linen writing paper, extra fine paper; 50 sheets 10c

Linen cloth paper, also envelopes; white or tints; 24 sheets and 24 envelopes 19c

Drug Sundries

10c box Charcoal tablets for dyspepsia and sour stomach; 2 boxes 15c

5c box Clay's menthol and eucalyptus cough drops for colds and coughs; 3 boxes 10c

35c Witch Hazel Cream—an excellent preparation for chapped hands and face. Special 25c

25c Dressing combs—of celluloid, bone or wire; assorted sizes; choice 15c

50c real hair brushes—solid ebonoid backs or satin wood backs; choice 35c

35c box Health tea—purifies the blood and cures headaches and liver complaints 20c

Photo Supplies

Cyko postal cards, print at night; special a dozen 12c

Disco paper, in half-gross boxes; 2 1-2x3 1-2 size, at 45c

Non-curling films, strictly fresh; 6 exposure, special 25c

Mounts, bevel edge; 3 1-4x4 1-4; Scotch gray and Royal brown; dozen 6c

"Argo" Soda, put up in 1-pound cans; it guarantees clean prints 39c

Baby Ansco Cameras, hold films 2 1-4x2 1-4; like "Brownie" No. 1 ..... 59c

Printing frames, piano hinge; 4x5 or 3 1-4x4 1-4 inch size; choice 15c

Best plates, Cramers or Seeds; 4x5 inch size; regular price 65c; special 53c

Lusterine photograph pillow tops, regular price 98c; special Saturday 50c

Leather pillow tops, printed in Missions or Indian Heads; large size, choice $2.98

Photo sub-post cards of Missions, Pasadena and Los Angeles; 2 1-4x3 1-2 inch size; 24 views in envelope 10c

Large velvet sheepskins for burning and fancy work; $1.25 grade; all colors 98c

$2.50 22-inch All-Linen Napkins, Do

For Saturday we offer 100 dozen of these napkins; strictly all linen; heavy weight; pretty floral designs and worth regularly $2.50. **$1.69**

58-inch Bleached Table Damask, Y

A serviceable quality for hotels and restaurants and just the thing for ordinary home uses; highly mercerized; the patterns are natural size flowers; 75 pieces to select from. **45c**

GLOVES, HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR

For $3.50 Elbow Length Gloves

$2.75 10-button elbow length glace kid gloves; black, white and all colors; Cable sewed; made in mosquetaire style; black kid gloves of this length are very scarce just now, as these are regular $3.50 values; better supply yourself.

Women's Lisle Hose—Allover lace in a variety of patterns; also lace boot hose; light or medium weight; garter tops; double soles, heels and toes. Price 50c

Children's Hose—The 25c kind; fine French ribbed; full fashioned; regular made; double knees and feet; also boys' heavy Corduroy ribbed hose. Price, 3 pairs for 50c

Women's 25c Vests—Swiss ribbed; low neck, sleeveless; of a good quality French Lisle, white only; silk taped; also low neck, short sleeve vests. 3 garments for 50c or, each 17c

Women's Summer Underwear to $2.50 values, including silk, wool high neck, short sleeve, blue only; pure thread silk, black, pink or blue; high neck, short sleeve; pure silk, low neck, sleeveless vests, with band crocheted yoke; French Lisle, low neck, sleeveless vests, with hand crocheted yokes. Choice .....

$7.50 to $10.00 Traveling Bags,

Of heavy grain leather; all leather lined; pocket in bags; heavy leather handles; trimmings and lock of brass; sizes 12 to 16 inches; choice of ten styles. Special Saturday only. **$5.9**

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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fresh to light west wind.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 66 degrees; minimum, 48 degrees; wind 5 a.m., northeast 10 miles; 5 p.m., southwest 10 miles; 6 miles; 5 p.m., southwest 10 miles. At midnight the temperature was 52 degrees; foggy.

TODAY—At 5 a.m. the temperature was 50 degrees; 10 degrees.

FORECAST—For San Francisco and vicinity: Clearing; fresh west wind.

The Complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 19, part I.

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THE CITY. Eighth Infantry going through today for China....Death ends risky career of Capt. Roos....Uncle Sam reserves Deadman's Island, what for?....Orange growers see hope in new rate bill....Wild flower despoilers subbing the hills....Miss Malcolm, woman prospector who braved Death Valley, claims rich find....San Pedro's lumber shipping beats world....Boy bumped down hill in rolling barrel. High School seniors busy over class politics....Los Angeles man builds ore-reduction mill without stamps....Local millionaires make strike of millions on desert....Heber and several others settle with California Development Company....Sixty minutes count as day for lucky County Jail prisoner....Police hold so-called wife of Jesse M. Wilcox on suspicion that she slew him. "Slum committee" finds bad conditions and will ask for radical legislation. Daughter of dead veteran, Richmond, gone with $8000 of estate....Governor coming to Spring Song Festival....Mrs. Isabel Keating-Smith dead....Another somersault in the Cat Club....Thomas Berkeley asks police to help find his missing wife....Merchants protest against tactics of "Merchants' Trade Exchange," which persists in collecting dues....Loyal Legion gives annual banquet at Hotel Maryland, Pasadena.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Senator Hahn of Pasadena definitely announces that he will be a candidate for reelection....Etiwanda ranchman learns that liners in The Times bring results....Woman saved from fiery death at Long Beach....Inmate of Patton Insane Asylum escapes because he wants to attend Socialist meeting. Supervisor Alexander and Dist.-Atty. Fredericks address Christian Endeavorers in Pasadena.

GENERAL EASTERN. Albany man admits killing wife and packing her in trunk....Buildings of Kenyon (Ohio) Military Academy burn to ground and three students perish....Grand jury impaneled to try Moyer, Haywood, Petibone and St. John of the Western Federation of Miners....McCurdys prepare to go to Paris....Insurance companies will fight the Armstrong reforms....Graft probing for Ohio office holders under way....El Paso theater at war, trust and independents vieing with each other for supremacy. Negro shot and burned at stake after confessing crime to Blenville (La.) mob....Old veteran marries sweetheart of former days near Marysville, O. Broken shaft on steamer prevent Longworths arriving in time for New Orleans carnival....Colgate Hoyt and Leigh Hunt sued in New York for gold mine....Mrs. Scott Durand in Chicago asks Federal control of dairy products.